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MRS. J. C. C. MAYO  
MARRIED TO DR. FETTERHAPPY CULMINATION OF AC-  
QUAINTANCE FORMED LAST  
WINTER IN FLORIDA.The following is taken from the Ash-  
land Independent of Saturday, Sep-  
tember 23:

Mrs. J. C. C. Mayo, widow of Col. John C. C. Mayo, late of Paintsville, who did so much to develop the Big Sandy region, and whose success in life rivaled the stories of Aladdin, was married at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon to Dr. H. P. Fetter of Portsmouth, O. Dr. Fetter and Mrs. Mayo met last winter while both were at Miami, Fla. The wedding was solemnized at the home of Portsmouth and Mrs. C. M. Preston of East Lexington avenue.

Rev. C. A. Flaughter, of the M. E. Church South, performed the ceremony. He was Mrs. Fetter's pastor in Paintsville a few years ago.

The wedding was a very quiet affair, and was solemnized in the presence of the Preston family, who are relatives of Mrs. Fetter, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. M. Stewart, Judge and Mrs. John P. Hager, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Henderson, Miss Anna M. Poage and Miss Anna Mary Kelly, of Ashland, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hens of Huntington. The wedding march was played by Rogers Preston on the violin and Mrs. W. J. Bradford on the piano. The bride wore an exquisite gown of delicate tulle.

Following the ceremony, Dr. and Mrs. Fetter left for Paintsville, where they will reside.

Previous to the wedding Mrs. Mayo transferred to herself, Dr. Fetter, J. W. M. Stewart, of Ashland, M. E. Conley, of Louisa and John E. Buckingham of Paintsville, as trustees for her two children, John C. C. and Margaret Mayo, one-half the stock of the Mrs. John C. C. Mayo company, a corporation under the laws of Kentucky, the papers for which were filed yesterday by Mrs. Mayo's attorneys, Hager and Stewart of Ashland. Mrs. Mayo converted to the company all the vast holdings which Col. Mayo left unreservedly to her under his will.

Mrs. Fetter, who is one of the wealthiest women in her own right in the country, is the possessor of rare beauty, personal charm and manners. She is beloved by all who know her, especially by the people of the Big Sandy region, among whom she was reared and in whose welfare she is sincerely interested. She was a devoted and loving wife to Col. Mayo and much of his wonderful success was due to her counsel and help. She is also an ideal mother and is deeply devoted to her children.

Dr. Fetter is one of Portsmouth's most successful and prominent physicians, a young man of fine appearance, sterling worth and strong character.

Before the marriage took place the "Mrs. J. C. C. Mayo Company" was incorporated at \$600,000 and the property of the estate transferred to this corporation. One-half of the stock was divided equally between John and Margaret Mayo, ages 16 and 11 respectively to be held in trust for them, with the income, until the age of 25.

The directors of the corporation are Mr. and Mrs. Fetter, J. W. M. Stewart, John E. Buckingham and M. E. Conley.

Mr. and Mrs. Fetter are about the same age—in the middle thirties. It is not necessary to introduce Mrs. Fetter to our readers, as she is too well and favorably known to need any description or praise at our hands. Her benevolence, her intense interest in local people and affairs, have endeared her to everybody. She is a woman of high ideals, standing for churches, schools and temperance, and making her influence felt in all these lines. She has ability, beauty and character. She is modest in her work, and devoted to her family home and friends.

Dr. Fetter is a fine christian gentleman, son of an Episcopal minister from North Carolina. He was one of the leading physicians of Portsmouth and prominent in Ohio medical circles. The highest words of commendation for Dr. Fetter's character and his professional and personal worth are coming from Portsmouth people.

KENTUCKY STATE  
BOARD OF HEALTH.Bureau of Vital Statistics.  
Preliminary vital statistics report for  
August, 1916.

Kentucky.	
Total deaths	1,984
Under 1 year	491
1 to 5 years	190
5 years and over	452
Tuberculosis	239
Pneumonia	35
Whooping cough	17
Diphtheria	17
Scarlet fever	33
Measles	4
Mononititis (non-tubercular)	3
Typhoid fever	86
Dysentery, enteritis, (under 2 yrs.)	200
Diarrhoea, dysentery, (over 2 yrs.)	202
Hookworm disease	1
Influenza (Grippes)	5
Puerperal septicemia	9
Cancer	127
Violence	10
Pellagra	10
Small-pox	0
Malaria	19
Infantile Paralysis	10
Syphilis	4
Gonorrhea excluded	

KENTUCKIANS IN MIMIC  
BATTLE DECLARED PERFECT.

El Paso, Tex., Sept. 25.—For test purposes, the First Kentucky Infantry on Monday was designated as a portion of a "red" army, which was attacking El Paso. It was ordered to take the position of right flank guard, of the army moving on the city. The third Kentucky Infantry was designated as a portion of a "brown" army, which was ordered to attack the right flank of the invaders. Both sides brought their mounted scouts into play on the mesa, four miles east of camp, and the fun began immediately thereafter.

Scientific scouting preceded a brisk action. As both armies had their machine guns ready for action there was no undue exposure on the part of the fighters. Soldiers in test maneuvers, who exposed themselves to machine gun fire were immediately declared killed. Regular army officers acted as umpires, and after the battle declared that the attack was perfectly conducted, both sides maneuvering well and taking every legitimate advantage.

These tests will be continued all the week.

LAKE COAL WILL PASS OVER  
THE NEW SCIOTOVILLE BRIDGE

The completion of the double-track bridge over the Ohio river between Siltom, Ky., and Scioto, O., the latter part of December will mean the coal from West Virginia and Kentucky mines to lake port will be hauled by the Chesapeake & Ohio Northern by way of Columbus instead of Cincinnati. At present these shipments which average 600 cars a day arrive in Cincinnati over the C. and O. and depart for Toledo over the E. H. & D.

With the new bridge in use the coal trains will connect with the Hooking Valley near Columbus, and will be hauled over that road, which is owned by the C. & O. to the lake port.

The change will mean an immense saving to the C. & O., as the new route is 96 miles shorter than by way of Cincinnati, and at the same time switch charges at Cincinnati will be saved. The entire run from the mines to the lake port will be made over the C. & O.'s own tracks.

THE UNITED STATES PUBLIC  
HEALTH SERVICE ASKS DO YOU

Maintain a polluted well and then complain about the undertaker's bill? Think screening is too expensive and then blame your malaria on the climate? Insist on sanitary cigar factories and then use a public cigar cut?

Carry a high handkerchief and then forget to cover your mouth when you cough?

LABAN McHENRY DIES  
IN THE FAR WEST

Young Man, Native of Louisa, Falls  
a Victim to Heart Disease  
and Other Ills.

Laban McHenry died at Kalama, Washington, September 9, after an illness of more than two years from lung trouble. The immediate cause of his death, however, is said to have been heart disease, from which he had been suffering for ten days. In his last hours he called for his Kentucky relatives many times.

Laban was 28 years old. He was married about three months ago to Miss Jeanette Creel of Kalama. In addition to the widow, the surviving relatives at Kalama are a sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Curran and his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth McHenry. Eight or nine years ago Laban went to Kalama with his two sisters, Mrs. Curran and Miss Emma and his mother. The latter died some time afterward. One brother, Clem, still lives at Louisa.

At various times we have heard good reports about Laban. He was an exemplary young man in every respect and had a high standing at Kalama. He became a Mason at an early age and was the youngest Master Mason in the State of Washington. He grew up in the Sunday school of the M. E. Church South at Louisa and was a model boy. The relatives and friends are deeply saddened by his untimely death, but the sorrow is softened by the knowledge that his life was correct and there is no doubt about his future.

The following is from a Kalama, Wash. paper:

Laban McHenry was born at Louisa, Lawrence Co., Ky., on August 2, 1890. He lived there until he was 18 years old, when with an older sister he moved to Huntington, W. Va., where he resided two years. Upon her death he came to Kalama, Washington in 1910, with his sister, mother and a sister and her family. He was a Mason and was Worshipful Master of the local order and was the youngest Master Mason in the State of Washington to attain that high position, being but 26 years of age. He was married to Jeanette Creveling June 6, of this year. Their happy home was broken by death on September 9, 1916. Mr. McHenry is survived by his wife, his mother, a brother, Clem McHenry, of Louisa, Ky., and a sister, Mrs. R. M. Curran, of Kalama. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Frank McConaughy at the Congregational church. He was buried with the Masonic ritual at the Odd Fellows cemetery. A large body of Masons from surrounding towns was in attendance.

GOOD APPOINTMENT  
FOR A LOUISA MANF. A. JOHNSON BECOMES ASSIS-  
TANT SUPERINTENDENT OF  
REFORM SCHOOL.

The Prison Commission has appointed Frank A. Johnson Assistant Superintendent of the Kentucky Reformatory School at Greendale, near Lexington. He is the youngest son of Mrs. George F. Johnson, of Louisa. For about two years he had served as bookkeeper and receiver for that institution, filling the difficult position most acceptably. He therefore goes to the higher place with a thorough knowledge of every detail of the school, and it is safe to predict that he will prove an efficient official. His inherent honesty is a guarantee that no graft or useless expenditure will be permitted by his authority.

Mr. Johnson succeeds Mrs. Anne M. Skidmore, formerly of Paintsville, who served the State exceedingly well for nearly four years. She made an enviable record.

It became known Saturday afternoon that the State Board of Prison Commissioners, at its recent meeting held in Frankfort, decided on a number of changes in the personnel of the employees at the Reformatory School at Greendale to become effective October first.

After that time Former Mayor Charles P. Weaver, of Louisville, will become officially connected with the institution in the capacity of receiver, succeeding F. A. Johnson, of Louisa.

Mr. Johnson becomes assistant superintendent, succeeding Mrs. Annie M. Skidmore of Paintsville, who has been connected with the institution for the last two and a half years, and who, in the "shake up," loses her position. Mrs. Skidmore, it is understood, was offered a minor position, but declined it and will leave the school. Her plans for the future have not been announced, but it is understood that she will go to Paintsville for a visit to Mrs. S. P. Fetter, formerly Mrs. John C. C. Mayo, before inking any future engagement.

THE CALLAHAN SCHOOL  
WILL NOT OPEN.

On account of a suit brought by heirs of Robert Callahan the school at Louisa bearing his name will not be open this year, and perhaps not at any time in the future. Prof. J. B. McClure, who was at the head of the school, is teaching at Chattahoochee, Va.

The will of Rev. Callahan provided for the establishment of a school between Louisa and Catlettsburg, and two years ago the location was decided upon by the authorities of the M. E. Church, in whose hands the matter rested. The James C. Lackey place just below Louisa was purchased and the school was at once established. The attendance last year came up to expectations and prospects for this year are said to have been good. The authorities were unwilling to go ahead after the suit was filed.

WEST VIRGINIA SOLDIER  
KILLED NEAR KENOVA.

Wayne County authorities are investigating the circumstances surrounding the death of Private Joseph Slater, Second West Virginia Infantry, whose body was found on a railroad trestle at Kenova last Sunday morning. Slater, who resided at Williamson, had been summoned as a witness in the Mingo county election, fraud cases now on trial in the federal court in Huntington. His friends declare he was first attacked and his body they placed on the track.

JURY AWARDS \$10 A  
MONTH FOR 14 YEARS

The Lawrence county court was occupied for several days with a suit of Jeannette Runyon, of this place, against A. S. Hatfield, a deputy sheriff of Pike county. He was charged with being the father of her child, born last February, and the suit was for maintenance. The jury rendered a verdict requiring Hatfield to pay ten dollars per month for fourteen years.

Miss Runyon moved to this place from Pike county two years ago.

## ARBOR DAY NOVEMBER 10.

November 10 has been designated as Arbor day in Kentucky. Gov. Stanley will issue a proclamation calling for its general observance and, following the proclamation, State Supt. V. O. Gilbert will send out programmes for its observance by the schools.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKERS.

Carlisle, Ky., Sept. 26.—The Rev. W. J. Vaughan, one of the best known Sunday school workers in the State, was one of the leading speakers at a convention of Sunday school workers of all churches here to-night in the Carlisle Baptist church.

## ONLY FEW MORE FILING DAYS.

Only a few days remain for candidates to file their certificates of nomination with Secretary of State James P. Lewis. They must be filed thirty days before the election.

Among those who have filed are L. T. Nant, Republican, Eighth district; W. J. Fields, Democrat, and A. J. Pennington, Republican, Ninth district; J. M. Robertson, Democrat, and F. D. Sampson, Republican, Seventh Appellate district.

MAN KILLED BY  
A FALLING TREEJOHN MAXIE, OF UPPER BLAINE,  
THE VICTIM OF AN AC-  
CIDENT.

John Maxie, of Mazie, this county, was instantly killed Tuesday by a tree striking him on the head. He cut the tree down and in falling it landed on a smaller tree and was deflected from its course sufficiently to catch Maxie. His brother witnessed the sad accident.

Mr. Maxie was about 45 years old. He leaves a wife and two children, one grown and the other a small boy. He was a well-to-do citizen, owning a considerable amount of land, and was highly respected.

ELECTION CASE TO BE  
HEARD NEXT FRIDAY.

The election contest suit of Kirk vs. Sampson, passed upon Saturday at Harboursville by Judge Stack, who rendered a verdict in favor of Judge Sampson, is expected to be heard Friday by the Court of Appeals to whom Judge Kirk has appealed.

Should the court hold in Judge Sampson's favor he will be granted a certificate of nomination and his name will be on the ballot this fall. Should the court hold that Judge Sampson did not comply with the law when he did not file his expense account with the secretary of the State within fifteen days of the primaries, then the court will have to decide if Judge Kirk's failure to file a detailed and itemized account precludes his being declared a nominee. Should the court hold that it does not, then the case may go back to the lower court for a hearing of the charges made by Judge Sampson that unlawful means were used to nominate Judge Kirk.

C. & O. EXTENSION IN  
WEST VIRGINIA.

The 13 mile extension of the Chesapeake & Ohio Valley branch from Man to Gilbert will be completed in ten months. Is the announcement made by the contractors who are now located at Man and directing the preliminary work of grading.

It is also reported that the Virginian and Norfolk & Western roads are getting busy in connection with the proposed extensions to Gilbert, the former coming from Mullens, a distance of 42 miles, and the latter from Wharmcliffe, 10 miles. The Virginian route will be along Indian creek, while the N. & W. will come down Pinnacle creek.

The C. & O. has in view a further extension of several miles up Gilbert creek and tap the great undeveloped coal and timber territory in that region.—Logan Democrat.

ACCEPTED CALL TO  
CALVARY CHURCH.

The Reverend G. H. Harrison, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church, Gastonia, S. C., has accepted a call to Calvary church, Ashland, and with his family will be there about November to reside.

The Reverend Mr. Harrison is forty-five years of age, and his family consists of Mrs. Harrison and three bright and interesting boys. He comes highly recommended as a man and pastor.

The new pastor was in Ashland two weeks ago.

## HELD TO THE GRAND JURY.

Grover Layne, of Ashland, was arrested here last week on charge of entering the gas company office at Louisa and taking about \$18 belonging to Ed Kirk. After being in jail a while he gave bond to answer to the grand jury.

Dick Nance, who gave the evidence on which the warrant was based, left town before time for the examining trial, and a fine of \$50 has been assessed against him on a charge of selling liquor.

## REXROAT-CONLEY.

The following is from the Louisville Post of September 22, and refers to Dr. Conley, who was recently graduated from the Medical department of the University of Louisville, and expects to locate in Junction City, near Paintsville and Van Lear.

Dr. Everett V. Conley, of Paintsville, and Miss Grace LaVerne Rexroat, 1040 South Twenty-sixth-st., were married at the Hotel Henry Watterson Thursday afternoon by the Rev. Aquilla Webb. They left this morning for Paintsville, where they will make their home in future. In the wedding party were Messrs. D. K. Bentley, B. F. Wright and Proctor Sparks, of the Paintsville section.

## REV. FOGLESONG BEGINS WORK.

Rev. W. H. Fogleson held his first services last Sunday in the courthouse, the temporary home of the congregation of the M. E. Church South. Large audiences heard him both morning and evening and were very favorably impressed. He and his good wife are receiving the prospects for a profitable year are bright. They hope to be at home in the parsonage very soon.

## PREACHER TRANSFERS.

Rev. Firestone, who was assigned to the Louisa charge of the M. E. Church, did not accept the appointment, but transferred to the Missouri Conference. The pulpit has not yet been supplied.

KENTUCKY GIRL HELD ON  
CHARGE OF FRAUD.

Portsmouth, Sept. 19.—Miss Cora Melvin, the pretty young woman who "fleece" various Portsmouth merchants, pleaded guilty in police court Saturday to fraudulently obtaining a \$27.50 suit of Oscar Brunner and was bound over to the grand jury in the sum of \$200.

It developed from the girl's story that when she was first located in Portsmouth last winter she worked at the Selby shoe factory and roomed at the Y. M. C. A. building. Since her recent return she worked a few days at the Mitchell company's plant. She offered no explanation for her acts. Asked who the young man was she had been keeping company with the past few days, she said it was Harvey Litteral.

It had also been learned that she succeeded in securing a pair of shoes and other goods on approval and failed to return them.

Attorney Clint Searl had an interview with Miss Melvin after the hearing, he saying relatives had employed him to defend her. She still maintained that she was but sixteen years old, but this is doubted.

Much pity is felt for the prisoner. It is said she comes of a respectable family, but that several of its members are afflicted with epilepsy and that she has shown traces of the disease. The penalty for her offense is a one-year sentence in the penitentiary.

"The fair prisoner has given the name of Miss Cora Melvin and her home as Paintsville, Ky., and has also been sailing under various aliases, such as Cora Lemasters, Ora Masters, Mrs. Bruce Adams, Nora Vaughan and Sallie Auxier.

Officers took the young woman to where she had roomed the past few days, and there found the Brunner suit, also a \$10.95 skirt she had secured from the Fashion store and hat she had gotten. Her suit case she had reported "lost" was also found. It was tightly packed with wearing apparel of all varieties.—Ashland Independent.

REVIVAL SERVICES TO  
START NEXT WEEK.

A series of meetings will begin next Sunday, October 1, at the Christian church in this city. Rev. C. M. Summers, a former pastor and who has been located at Stone, Ky., since leaving Louisa a few years ago, will conduct the meetings. He is a good preacher and quite popular here.

## RURAL SCHOOL SUPT.

J. V. Chapman, former superintendent of schools of Simpson Co., has been selected as Rural School Superintendent to succeed T. J. Coats, who resigned to become President of the Eastern Kentucky Normal School at Richmond.

KENTUCKIANS TO ENGAGE  
IN WARTIME MANEUVERS

One-Half Of Brigade On Border Will  
Attack Other Half In  
Theory.

El Paso, Tex., Sept. 24.—Civil war is scheduled to break out in the Kentucky Brigade at El Paso on Monday morning. Being Kentuckians, the soldiers of that brigade are eagerly looking forward to the fray. Evidently, they have been watching the Pennsylvanians fighting among themselves, and the members of the three Kentucky regiments, which are encamped northeast of Fort Bliss, are anxious to be pitted against each other. In other words, Monday will be the first day of a week of tests in the Kentucky camp. This means that they will maneuver under the observance of regular army officers. One-half of the brigade will attack the other half under war conditions.

Possibly the boys will discharge some blank ammunition at each other to make the tests more realistic. The Pennsylvanians have burned up several million rounds and, theoretically, several regiments of Pennsylvania soldiers have been annihilated. Theoretically, thousands of the Keystone men were killed and buried last week, but the reality of this kind of warfare is that there is no one absent when mess call is sounded.

## WORK TO START AT ONCE.

Evan H. Morgan, of Ironton, has the contract for doing the brick work on the new M. E. Church South building and expects to begin this week. Mr. Morgan is from fronton and is recommended as a highly competent and thoroughly reliable man.

The stone cutting is under way by the contractor, J. S. Scott, of Greenup. All material is now on the ground and the work should go along rapidly.

## BUYING TIMBER.

Hazard, Ky., Sept. 26.—The Buckhorn State company, an Ohio corporation, is buying large quantities of standing timber in Leslie county. Several big tracts of timber were bought last week. One of the largest tracts of land on the whole length of the Middle Fork river which still has the virgin white oak timber standing was purchased by this company last week from Mrs. Polly Asher, near the head of the Middle Fork river. Several other tracts in the immediate vicinity have been acquired recently, and the company proposes to install several large mills for the purpose of manufacturing staves on the Middle Fork. The finished product will be carried down the river to some convenient railroad point for shipment.

GIRL ATTEMPTS TO  
TAKE HER LIFEGUNSHOT WOUND WILL PROBA-  
BLY PROVE FATAL TO FORT  
GAY YOUNG LADY.

Mary Rowe, age 16, shot herself at Fort Gay, W. Va., Tuesday evening and is in a very dangerous condition. She used a .22 caliber target rifle and the ball passed entirely through her body, near the heart. She had gone a short distance from the home to bring in an arm-load of wood. The family heard the report of the rifle and upon investigation found the girl lying on the ground with the wound in her breast and the gun by her side. She was conscious and has remained so ever since, but very little hope is held out for her recovery.

The cause of the attempted suicide is said to have been a slight quarrel with her lover, Moody Bishop, age about 24. He was in the Rowe home at the time the girl shot herself, and the dispute had taken place only a few minutes before. Each had accused the other of receiving letters from others, it is said.

The girl is a daughter of Giles Rowe, who lives near Fort Gay.

W. D. PIERCE WILL OPEN  
STORE IN FLORIDA.

The Clearwater Evening Sun says: E. H. Cochran will soon commence the erection of a modern brick store room, 70x87½ feet. Work will commence as soon as the plans are approved and it will be pushed to early completion.

Mr. Cochman has leased his new building to Mr. W. D. Pierce, formerly of Louisa, Kentucky. He is a merchant of many years experience, thoroughly versed in the needs of the public. He is well known in Clearwater, having spent parts of several winters here and a part of the present summer. He likes Clearwater—especially the summer climate—and is anxious to locate here.

As soon as the building is completed Mr. Pierce will open up a modern store, carrying a line of dry goods, men's and ladies' furnishings, etc.

Mr. Pierce's family, consisting of a wife and daughter, will come to Clearwater within a few days. They will make their home in the Williamson apartments.

TWENTY-SIX MILLION  
PAIR OF SHOES.

Orders for 26,000,000 pairs of shoes for the British, Serbian, French, Russian, Italian and Belgian armies have been received by British manufacturers since the outbreak of the war.

One-fourth of the total, or more than 7,000,000 pairs a week, have been alone supplied by the workmen of Northampton, the chief seat of the English shoe manufacture. The manufacturers are turning out a second installment of 3,000,000 pairs of footwear for the Russians, this time boots known as the Cossacks.

JUDGE FOGG GOING TO  
ARIZONA FOR HEALTH.

Judge Finley E. Fogg, of Paintsville, will leave in a few days with his wife for Arizona in search of health, which all his many friends sincerely hope he may find. He is a bright and genial gentleman, a fine lawyer, and a useful citizen generally.

## NEW DEPOT FOR FT. GAY.

The Public Service Commission of West Virginia has directed the N. & W. railroad to provide a better passenger station for our sister town of Fort Gay. The application made by Lewis Borders and L. T. McClure to have the depot moved to a site near the bridge was rejected.

The order as to the station is as follows: Construct two separate rooms for passengers, one for male and one for female, each 15x26 feet in size, at least, supply each of said rooms with a toilet, enlarge the present freight room sufficiently to accommodate the freight traffic in a convenient manner, and construct an express room; provide a 25 foot driveway and a 4 foot concrete walkway, protected by a railing, adjacent to and between its side track and the Big Sandy river, extending from bridge-st. the entire length of said fill, and that said company do immediately cease occupying the streets of Fort Gay with its freight trains, in such manner as to unnecessarily hinder or delay travel on the streets of said town.

## NO WITNESSES

To Murder Done Fortyfour Years Ago  
And Aged Prisoner Re-  
leased.

Charleston, W. Va., Sept. 19.—Gov. H. D. Hatfield has refused to honor a requisition for the return of Andrew Wise, 72 years old, who is wanted in Buncombe Co., North Carolina, for the alleged murder of J. C. Rogers, forty-four years ago. The executive at once sent a telegram to the Sheriff of Mingo Co., West Virginia, at Williamson, where Wise was placed in jail following his arrest on a warrant issued at the instance of the grand jury of the dead man, ordering the prisoner to be released. Gov. Hatfield, it is said, learned that there are no witnesses to the murder living and for that reason refused to order the aged man returned.





## The national guard

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## War News Of The Week.

FRIDAY, SEPT. 22.

The German, Bulgarian and Turkish troops under Field Marshal von Mackensen have been defeated in the Rumanian province of Dobruja, according to an official statement from Bucharest. It is said that the invaders have retired to the south and are burning villages in their retreat.

A revolutionary Provisional Government has been set up on the island of

Crete, according to unofficial advice, which add that a committee of revolutionists is to be sent to Saloniki. Former Premier Venizelos, while declining to say whether he purposes going to Saloniki to head this movement, reverted to his recent statement that "if the King will not hear the voice of the people we ourselves must devise what is best to do."

### SATURDAY.

German and Rumanian reports as to the progress and results of the battle in Dobruja conflict. No contradiction

### No. 7122 REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The Louisa National Bank, at Louisa, in the State of Kentucky, at the close of business, on Sept. 12, 1916.

1. a Loans and discounts (except those shown on b).....	\$223,930.26	
c Notes and bills rediscounted.....	\$228,930.26	
2. U. S. bonds:		
a U. S. bonds deposited to secure circulation (par value).....	50,000.00	
b U. S. bonds pledged to secure U. S. deposits (par value).....	1,000.00	
Total U. S. bonds.....		51,000.00
3. Bonds, securities, etc:		
a Bonds other than U. S. bonds pledged to secure postal savings deposits.....	3,000.00	
b Securities other than U. S. bonds (not including stocks) owned unpledged.....	18,288.45	
Total bonds, securities, etc.....		21,288.45
4. Stocks, other than Federal Reserve Bank stock.....	550.00	
5. Stock of Federal Reserve Bank (50 per cent of subscription).....	1,100.00	
6. Equity in banking houses.....	5,000.00	
7. Furniture and fixtures.....	2,200.00	
8. Real estate owned other than banking house.....	600.00	
9. Net amount due from Federal Reserve Bank.....	9,587.15	
10. Net amount due from approved reserve agents in New York, Chicago, and St. Louis.....	6,384.87	
11. Net amount due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities.....	5,661.03	
12. Net amount due from banks and bankers (other than included in 10 or 11).....	2,483.05	
13. Other checks on banks in the same city or town as reporting bank.....	1,947.33	
b Fractional currency, nickels, and cents.....	149.73	
16. Notes of other national banks.....	3,330.00	
17. Coin and certificates.....	16,738.15	
18. Legal-tender notes.....	1,265.00	
19. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer.....	2,500.00	
Total.....	\$362,215.12	
Liabilities:		
25. Capital stock paid in.....	\$ 50,000.00	
26. Surplus fund.....	20,000.00	
27. Undivided profits.....	\$11,766.25	
b Less current expenses, interest, and taxes paid.....	9,650.28	
28. Amount reserved for taxes accrued.....	1,598.00	
29. Circulating notes outstanding.....	50,000.00	
Demand deposits:		
35. Individual deposits subject to check.....	191,257.76	
36. Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days.....	31,649.18	
37. Cashier's checks outstanding.....	154.01	
38. United States deposits.....	1,000.00	
40. Postal savings deposits.....	2,246.32	
Total demand deposits, items 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, and 42.....	\$226,325.27	
Total of time deposits, items 43, 44, and 45.....	4,695.57	
Total.....	\$362,215.12	

### STATE OF KENTUCKY,

### COUNTY OF LAWRENCE, ss:

I, M. F. CONLEY, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

M. F. CONLEY, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of Sept. 1916

Correct—Attent:

AL CARTER,

AUGUSTUS SNYDER,

Notary Public,

L. H. YORK,

My commission expires Jan. 12, 1918

ROBERT DIXON,

Directors.

of the announcement from Bucharest that the Teutons were falling back. Berlin declares that Field Marshall von Mackensen has, by an encircling movement, broken the resistance of the Rumanians and Russians and compelled them to retreat.

North of the Somme, in the outskirts of Comble, the French force captured a strongly defended house from the Germans and took 100 prisoners, according to the Paris official communication. The Germans taken prisoner on the Somme front by the French and British from July 1 to September 18, number more than 55,800, of whom 34,000 were taken by the French.

An Entente transport and a French submarine have fallen victims to a German submarine and an Austro-Hungarian aeroplane, respectively. The twenty-nine members of the crew of the submarine were rescued and made prisoners.

Berlin and Vienna admit a reverse in the Carpathians in the Russian capture of the summit of Smotret Heights, which previously had changed hands many times.

### SUNDAY.

An Athens dispatch reports that definite proposals have been made to the Entente, acceptance of which will induce the entry of Greece into the war. Former Premier Venizelos, strong partisan of the Entente, is quoted as declaring that if the Government controlled by the court party does not act the nation itself must defend its own interests.

The British advancing on a front of a half mile east of Courcellette have made further gains from the Germans in the direction of Sars, on the Poirier-Haupaume road.

The battle in Dobruja has broken out anew. The Russians and Rumanians, according to Berlin, took the offensive, but failed to make headway. An unconfirmed report from Rome, however, says that Gen. Mackensen is in full retreat and that his forces have abandoned Kistria, taken recently from the Rumanians.

Two Rumanian divisions attacking Hermannstadt have been repulsed, the Berlin report declares.

Airship raided the east and south-east coasts of England last night. A Zeppelin was brought down in flames on the outskirts of London, according to official announcement, while another was reported brought down on the coast of Essex. "The raid is still proceeding," says the statement. Aerial battles were numerous in the Somme country, the British raiding German aerodromes and ammunition trains, while the French brought down a number of enemy craft.

K. Y. Rockwell, distinguished American aviator with the French corps, was killed in a battle with German airships.

### MONDAY.

Two Zeppelins met their fate at the hands of the British anti-aircraft gunners on the eastern coast of England in Essex after a fleet of twelve or fifteen airships had visited London and other points Saturday night, dropping bombs. One of the machines, with its crew taken prisoner, in the metropolitan district of London twenty-eight men, women and children were killed and ninety-nine wounded. Outside of London two peranna met death and eleven were injured. Considerable material damage was done by bombs in London and the outlying districts.

Aerial activity along the Somme front is reported as having been particularly violent by both sides. Berlin says twenty-four allied aeroplanes were destroyed, while Paris claims to have destroyed or brought down eighteen German flyers. The statements of their own losses are contradictory.

A Russian attack on the Dniester turned into a general engagement, and the Petrograd claims the capture of 1,500 German and Austrian prisoners. Several Carpathian positions have been retaken by the Teutonic Allies.

Advances are claimed by the English, Serbs and French in Macedonia. The British report the capture of Jomita.

British troops have captured the villages of Morval and Les Boenets, together with several lines of trenches on a six-mile front between Comblès and Marlinpich. This front was penetrated.

## SEVERE PUNISHMENT

Of Mrs. Chappell, of Five Years' Standing, Relieved by Cardui.

Mt. Airy, N. C.—Mrs. Sarah M. Chappell of this town, says: "I suffered for five years with womanly troubles, also stomach troubles, and my punishment was more than any one could tell.

I tried most every kind of medicine, but none did me any good. I read one day about Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I decided to try it. I had not taken but about six bottles until I was almost cured. It did me more good than all the other medicines I had tried, put together.

My friends began asking me why I looked so well, and I told them about Cardui. Several are now taking it."

Do you, lady reader, suffer from any of the ailments due to womanly trouble, such as headache, backache, sideache, sleeplessness, and that everlasting tired feeling?

If so, let us urge you to give Cardui a trial. We feel confident it will help you, just as it has a million other women in the past half century.

Begin taking Cardui to-day. You won't regret it. All druggists.

Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for literature on your case and 68 page book, "Home Treatment for Women," in plain wrapper. N. C. 154

strated to a depth of more than a mile. Many prisoners were taken and heavy losses were inflicted on the Germans.

In a violent attack launched against German positions extending from Comblès to the Somme the French troops made noteworthy gains. The town of Rancourt was captured and German positions were taken in the region of Fragilecourt.

Entente Allies continue in report successes in Macedonia. The Russians have made new advance against the Bulgars and the Serbians have crossed the frontier into their own country north of Kirsograd, while the French have penetrated Petokak.

### CATLETTSBURG.

In Loving Remembrance. On Sunday evening, Sept. 3, the death angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Urtle Carvell and took from them their darling baby, Willie. She was only 11 months old, but was a bright, sweet and loving baby and will be sadly missed in the home. Everything was done for her that loving hands and kind hearts could do, but it was God's will that she should go on the voyage across the deep waters of death into the bright harbor of celestial light of love. The eyes that sparkled with light and love are closed forever here on earth and the little smiles are seen no more here, but little Willie is smiling more brightly in paradise. Mother, father and brothers weep not for her, but prepare to meet her in the glory world.

A FRIEND.

### MT. PLEASANT.

There will be a pie social at this place next Saturday night, Sept. 30, for the benefit of the school. Everybody invited.

E. A. Post returned home Tuesday from Jackson county, W. Va., where he has been for about eight months. He was accompanied by his cousins Mary and James Elliott.

Doc Peterman of Louisa attended prayer meeting at this place Friday night.

L. S. Alley and daughter, are visiting relatives at Hordland, W. Va.

The bean stringing at Geo. Simpson's and Wm. Young's this week were largely attended.

Mrs. C. E. Harris, who underwent a serious operation Monday is doing nicely.

Mrs. W. B. Post, who has been very ill, is able to be out again.

Tom Austin and Frances Skeens, of Fallsburg, were calling on friends at this place Sunday evening.

Misses Maytie Blankenship and Pauline Crabtree are attending school at Louisa.

Fred Burke, of Potter, makes regular trips to Wm. Young's.

Mitt Sammons, Ed Salyers and Tivis Hays, three very prominent young men of Louisa were calling on the fair sex at this place Sunday.

C. H. Peters, Jr., of Williamson, W. Va., is visiting relatives at this place.

Mrs. Silas Robinson of Cannonsburg has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. T. E. Harris, but returned some Sunday.

Mrs. C. H. Peters and children were calling on Mrs. W. B. Post and children Sunday.

Miss Lizzie Frazier spent Sunday night with Mrs. Charlie Frazier at Louisa.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carter and daughter were visiting relatives at Pleasant Ridge Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Wellman and daughter, of Smoky Valley spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wellman.

Messrs. Tivis Hays and Doc Peterman were calling on Max and Lizzie Frazier Saturday.

Remember our prayer meeting every Friday night. Sunday school every Sunday morning and the pie social Saturday night.

SUNNY JIM.

### MT. PLEASANT.

Mrs. L. S. Alley made a business trip to Louisa Wednesday.

Mitt Sammons of Louisa was calling here.

Miss Marie Blankenship was calling on Miss Ethel Dicks Sunday.

L. S. Alley and daughter, Esther attended a big meeting at Hordland, W. Va., Saturday and Sunday.

Roscoe Thompson of Ashland, was calling on Johnnie Frazier Thursday and Friday.

Doc Peterman was calling here Saturday night.

Prayer meeting every Friday night and Sunday school every Sunday morning.

BLUE EYES.

### WAYNE, WEST VA.

The Wayne High School which was organized by a number of citizens of the county opened its doors Monday with twenty pupils enrolled.

This is a step which shows that the citizens of Wayne county are determined to allow the education of their children to climb at a low tide.

T. E. McClure is principal of the school. Prof. McClure has been a teacher of high school subjects for many years and will prove himself worthy of the trust given to him at this time.

The following pupils are enrolled: Mary Lou Ross, Willie K. Smith, Mildred Taylor, Nila Ketchum, Florence Crum, Gemma Riffe, Winita McVey, Opal Ward, Pearl Allen, Millie Shannon, Everett Walker, Millie Adkins, Everett Romann, Milton Ferguson, Frank Thurston, Robert McVey, Hubert Saunders, Heber Riffe, Lucile Ferguson and Brainerd Hines.

The County Court awarded contracts for five new bridges Saturday.

The Champion Bridge Company and Luten Bridge Company were the successful bidders.

The bridges will be located, one at Genoa, one at P. D. Pymale's near Buffalo, one at Walter Staley's place on Whites creek, one near the Warren Robinson farm on Mill creek, and one near the County farm.

The Pymale and Staley bridges will be of concrete and the others will be of iron. The floors of the new bridges will be made of concrete. Wayne county already has a very good bridge system and this action of the court is a step forward to the completion of the system.

P. Frazier, Assessor, has moved into his new residence in Kenova. Mr. Frazier moved to the river town that he might take advantage of the educational opportunities for his children. However, Pearly will still continue to

perform his office duties at Wayne. Miss Jessie Malcolm, County Demonstration Agent was in town Thursday enroute to Centerville, where she will assist club members in the canning business.

Miss Malcolm, who is in the employ of the Federal Government is doing a good work among the girls club members. Miss Malcolm has assisted in canning some one thousand gallons of tomatoes.

### EAST POINT.

Mrs. Julia Fitzpatrick has removed from this place to Fleming, near Jenkins where she will make her home with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Edford Walters, who lately removed from Paintsville to that place. Mr. and Mrs. Walters will work in the bank at Fleming. Mr. Newt Helcher and family occupy the house at this place belonging to Mrs. Fitzpatrick.

Mrs. Geo. H. Donally and children, who have been visiting her father, J. S. Kelly have returned to their home at Huntington.

Mrs. W. L. Auxier is very sick at this writing.

Mrs. Edith Auxier of Johns creek visited Mrs. Mitt Auxier Sunday.

Miss Topey Helcher is expecting to return to St. Louis in a few days where she will resume her course in the Medical college at that place.

Mr. Bayes Ramsey is attending school at Berea this fall.

Mrs. Newt Helcher visited friends at Gallup recently.

The four year old son of Dave Sluse died suddenly on last Saturday. The body was taken to Bear Hollow for burial.

Miss Anna Lee, daughter of J. C. B. Auxier, has been very sick but is improving.

Mrs. Emma Luck has returned to Cincinnati.

Mrs. Margaret Davis of Little Paint visited Mrs. J. C. B. Auxier recently.

The school at this place has given a vacation for two weeks for fodder pulling and the teachers institute.

The infant child of Mitt Auxier is very sick.

SENGA.

### IN LOVING REMEMBRANCE.

On Saturday, Aug. 19, the death angel visited the home of W. M. Holbrook and family and took from us our darling wife and mother. All was done that cherished hands could do, but when the black winged messenger flapped his pinions across the tired, care-worn form of dear mother and ended a life full of good deeds, her soul arose in triumph over death, hell and the grave and wended its way to the paradise of God. She had been in failing health for some years, but had been confined to her bed only a few months. She suffered greatly for many days before death relieved her, but bore her afflictions with christian fortitude. The eyes that sparkled with love and light are closed forever here on earth and her smiles are seen no more here, but she is smiling more brightly in the paradise of God. She was 56 years, 6 months and 12 days old. She was a member of the Christian church. Her walks have proved what she was. She was the mother of sixteen children, four dying in infancy. She was kind and gentle in all her dealings with her fellow-being. She enjoyed feeding the hungry. She was a faithful companion, a loving mother and a true christian in every respect. The funeral took place the following day, conducted by Revs. Harvey, Jerry and Hicks, after which the body was taken to the family graveyard, there to await the coming of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

DAUGHTER.

### PLEASANT RIDGE.

Several from this place attended church at Twin Branch Sunday.

Dave Kitchen of Catt was a business visitor here Saturday.

Mrs. Hen Carter of Osle, was here recently.

Doek Weip of Logan, W. Va., passed through here Friday.

Harrison Delong and brother, of Martin county, are visiting their uncle, W. M. Delong.

Miss Nannie Nolen visited her cousin Miss Inez Wellman Sunday.

Mr. Short of Yatesville passed thru here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Newsum and children spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Herry.

Mrs. G. A. Hays was a business visitor in Louisa Saturday.

Clem Short of Yatesville was here Monday.

Ferguson Nolen made a business trip to Christiansburg Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Adams and children spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives on Irish creek.

We are sorry to hear of the death of Lemmie Dolan.

John Ibrahim of Two Mile was here Saturday.

Jack Collinsworth of Fuller Station was a business visitor here Monday.

Little Gills Chapman visited Little Miss Judy Newsum Sunday.

John Wellman visited friends at Smoky Valley Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Bradley spent Sunday with his uncle H. Bradley at Bonneyville.

G. A. Hays is very sick with a cold. Elwood Hutchison spent Sunday with home folks here.

Literary was a success Friday night. Mrs. Grant Roberts was able to be out Sunday. She has been very ill again.

Tom Roberts of Ashland visited home folks here Saturday and Sunday. Miss Jessie Bradley spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks.

Eckel Adams of Osle was smiling on the fair sex here Sunday.

Mrs. Virgie Bradley and Mrs. G. A. Hays called on Mrs. Esther Frazier Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Nolen spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Ferrell.

J. P. Garlin of Louisa passed thru here Sunday.

AUTUMN LEAVES.

### WANT EGGS AT HIGH MARKET.

To fill our orders, better at our store 18c in groceries or 16c in cash. Old roosters 18c lb., old hens 5c lb., and over 15c in trade. Springers 2 lbs. and under, 16c. We buy and protect all under, 16c.

The farmers and poultry raisers in our neighborhood. We pay cash for any kind of produce brought to our place. Irish potatoes 75c in groceries. Green apples 40c per bu., picked off and peddled in barrels, no nalls or bruises, per-

fectly sound. Dried apples \$1.00 bu. The manager of the Big Blaine Produce Co. can't farm, can't clerk in store, got injured by street car. He thinks the poultry raisers ought to give him their influence. The more you bring your produce to him the more able he is to help the poultry raiser. The manager travels eight miles every week picking up eggs and produce.

To the head of Big Blaine, one trip weekly, down Big Blaine across Rockford to upper Brushy above Milburn postoffice across and down Rockhouse to head of Blaine. People save up eggs. We buy 600 doz. eggs weekly, and pay high prices. We kill fat yearly, for butcher shop, ribs 10c lb., steak 18c, soup bone 5c. Veal calf hide 18c green. High prices for hides and tub washed wool.

The general manager Pack will run lunch stand at the Fair at Louisa, Ky. We want everybody, especially the little boys as customers. We are buying as best all the time. 4 cans Snow King baking powder for 1 doz. eggs. Do business with four little tin home stores. We pay cash for butter made by parcel post. Don't sell your produce at low prices. We buy it carload groceries every year. Let us have your produce for cash or fresh groceries. Don't forget to buy your lunch from me at the Lawrence County Fair in October.

BIG BLAINE PRODUCE CO.

H. J. Pack, Mgr., 4 Little Stores.

### DR. J. D



## Slip a few Prince Albert smokes into your system!

You've heard many an earful about the Prince Albert patented process that cuts out bite and parch and lets you smoke your fill without a comeback! Stake your bank roll that it proves out every hour of the day. Prince Albert has always been sold without coupons or premiums. We prefer to give quality!

There's sport smoking a pipe or rolling your own, but you know that you've got to have the right tobacco! We tell you Prince Albert will bang the doors wide open for you, to come in on a good time firing up every little so often, without a

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regret! You'll feel like your smoke past has been wasted and will be sorry you cannot back up for a fresh start.

You swing on this say-so like it was a tip to a thousand-dollar bill! It's worth that in happiness and contentment to you, to every man

who knows what can be gotten out of a chummy jimmy pipe or a makin's cigarette with Prince Albert for "packing"!

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## Our Kentucky Neighbors.

Frankfort, Ky., Sept. 25.—Dock Smith who turned State's evidence at the trial of the alleged conspirators charged with the murder of Ed Callahan in Breathitt-co., under promise of immunity, and who afterward was tried and convicted, was pardoned to-day by Gov. Stanley at the request of Commonwealth's Attorney R. A. Crutcher and Judge John Stevenson, of Winchester.

Lexington, Ky., Sept. 21.—Mrs. Emma Bradley-Barger, of Jackson, who was arrested here yesterday on a warrant sworn out by her first husband, charging bigamy, is in an unusual predicament. She cannot understand that she has done wrong. She was taken back to Breathitt county to stand trial.

She is 20 years old, and, according to an interview given out this afternoon, refused to marry Henry Bradley for three years. Bradley was 40 years old. She left him and went home after three months.

Dudley Barker, the second husband, was 20 years old. She declares that Bradley asked her to return and on her refusal promised to tear up the warrant if she would not live with Barker. She declared she would not live with either until she could get a divorce, and said she was on her way to Cincinnati to work in a munitions factory until she could procure a divorce.

The appearance of husband No. 1 on the scene tonight with a promise to drop the bigamy proceedings if Mrs. Bradley-Barger would return to him led her to declare, just before boarding the train in the custody of the Deputy Sheriff, that she supposed "the best way to keep out of the penitentiary was to go back to Henry," and she announced her intention to do so.

Hazard, Ky., Sept. 25.—On the examining trial of United States Deputy Marshal George Sizemore, charged with killing Moss Feltner here, Sizemore was released without bond. It is thought that the action of the County Court will relieve the revenue officer of any further prosecution.

Hurgars entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Ashworth in Ashland Saturday night and helped themselves to everything in sight. They gained entrance by prying open the window. They went through the house from cellar to parlor, and they were quite successful, evidently finding what they were searching for. This burglar took Mr. Ashworth's pocketbook and also several bills from his vest pocket and suit of clothes. He likewise relieved the vest of a solid gold watch. He retreated to the downstairs departments, and was successful in finding a little silver mug in which Mrs. Ashworth kept her rings and small change. This mug contained her wedding ring, and also about fifteen dollars in money and another solid gold ring. Of course, he took them all. His loot amounted to seventy-five dollars in money, the clothing and the rings.

Chas. Smith filed suit for twenty-five hundred dollars damages against Dr. J. L. Richardson, alleging unskillful treatment of a wrist which was broken in July 1915, when Smith fell from a scaffold while doing some work on a new church being erected at Grayson.

Mrs. Doc Hutchison of Hitchens, died Wednesday of tuberculosis and was laid to rest Thursday in Fairview cemetery. She leaves a husband and one child, father, mother and a host of other relatives.

Prof. Joseph H. Kastle, director of the Kentucky Agricultural Experiment Station, a chemist and an author, died of Bright's disease at his Lexington residence Sunday.

Olive Hill, Ky., Sept. 24.—Mrs. Sarah Day, charged with poisoning her husband, James Andrew Day, at Enterprise, this county, was sentenced to the penitentiary for life. Robert Sparks, who is held as an accomplice, will be tried in a few days.

It was brought out at the trial that arsenic had been administered to Day in small quantities. The case created considerable excitement at the time. The woman denied being guilty and asserted her husband had taken the poison with suicidal intent.

Bristol, Tenn., Sept. 24.—Bristol whiskey men are now adjusting their affairs preparatory to closing their doors on the night of October 31, when whiskey traffic in the State of Virginia is to cease. A number of liquor houses, and one big distillery, now doing business on the Virginia side of the city, will close doors when the new law becomes effective.

Irvine, Ky., Sept. 20.—Col. William Wallace, of this place, and his nephew, William Wallace, Jr., of Central Kentucky, stood yesterday before Judge Barrett in Chicago to ask for the life of a negro. The prisoner, a modernized, city-bred mulatto, likewise is named Wallace. He is the son of "Uncle" Ernest Wallace, who was a slave in the family of the Wallaces of Kentucky, and who, at the age of 76 years, is yet a faithful domestic servant on the plantation where he was born.

Wallace, the negro defendant, was convicted on July 23 and ordered hanged by a jury that found him guilty of having shot to death John Levin, a hawthornkeeper, in a hold-up. Sentence was to have been passed yesterday. The verdict will be read by Judge Barrett next Tuesday.

Sheriff Geiger went to Lexington from Floyd county with two boys and two girls, who were sentenced to the Reform School for the Juvenile Court. They are Albert Jenkins, son of John Jenkins; Morgan Sansom, son of Mary Sansom; Vervia Mirand, daughter of Wm. Mirand, and Georgia Wellman, daughter of Ellisha Wellman.

Elizabeth Webb, the seven months old baby daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Webb, of Ashland died Friday and was buried Saturday.

Rev. J. H. Stambaugh and wife of Charleston, W. Va., are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Moore in Winchester. Mr. Stambaugh is Mr. Moore's uncle and formerly preached in Lexington and at other Central Kentucky points. He now has charge of the Christian church in Charleston.

Judge A. J. G. Wells, former warden of the State reformatory at Frankfort, who after leaving the capital located at Irvine, Ky., has decided to embark in the hotel business in the Fulton county capital and will open the Wells hotel in that city. The hotel, which has been remodelled and thoroughly modernized, will be personally conducted by Judge Wells and his wife.

The condition of Mike Schotaki, the Russian miner who was injured at Van Lear, Ky., and who was brought to a hospital is reported to be very serious and but very little hope is held for his recovery. Two tons of slate fell on him according to the reports and he was horribly crushed.—Ironton Register.

Grace, the four months old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Douglass, of near Danleyton, Greenup-co., was

smothered to death while in bed Saturday morning on account of the bed clothing getting over its face. The funeral services were held Sunday.

C. W. Reynolds, 22, West Hamlin, W. Va., and Miss Lora Stanley, 21, Louisville, Ky., were married in Calletta-burg a few days ago.

Russell, Ky.—More than 200 persons were compelled to spend part of Saturday night and Sunday morning on board the C. & O. ferry that plys between Ironton and Russell, on account of the dense fog that covered the river. The boat attempted to make the trip at near the midnight hour, with a load of Apple Show visitors but became lost in the fog and was compelled to tie up far down the river. The crowd was a jolly one though and despite the cool weather they made the best of a bad situation and Sunday were recounting stories of their adventure.—Times.

William Cooksey, of Kenova, who for several years very successfully conducted a department store in Grayson has rented one of the rooms in the new Meade building on Winchester-av. and will occupy the same with a large department store as soon as the building is ready for occupancy, which will be about the first of March.

John C. C. Mayo's widow, new Mrs. S. C. Fetter; John E. Buckingham, of Paintsville, and John F. Hager, J. W. M. Stewart and A. M. Kelley, of Ashland, have incorporated the Mrs. John C. Mayo Company, of Ashland, with a capital stock of \$500,000, to develop mineral, oil and timber property. Mrs. Fetter owns 5,988 shares and the others three shares each.

Frankfort, Ky., Sept. 22.—Fines of \$100 each and fifty days' imprisonment in the cases of Joe Combs and Farmer Couch, and four days in the case of Price Combs, from Perry county, charged with having liquor for sale, were affirmed by the Court of Appeals.

Robert Henry, colored, aged 21 years, was killed Thursday while at work in Mine No. 7, on Pond creek. Henry was sitting on the bumper of a mine motor when he fell off and was rolled to death by one of the cars. His neck, both legs and one arm were broken.

The Ashland Independent says:—Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Wulson, of Cincinnati, are receiving congratulations both at home and at a distance—the reason for this is the arrival of a handsome young man at their home who is already a favorite with the young ladies. He is not so large—only weighs nine pounds, but is robust and strong, with a lusty voice and bids fair to weigh in some years from now just as much as his dignified and brilliant grandfather, the Hon. John Franklin Hager, who was very proud when he received the wire heralding the glad news of his arrival. This is the second little one to arrive in that household, the other being a handsome little daughter named Katherine Roege. Mr. and Mrs. Wulson have named their new son Lucian Wulson, Jr.

Mrs. Tina Emmons (nee Evans) who was once a teacher in the Rowan county schools, was stricken at her home at Plummers Landing last week with a brain disease and is in a precarious condition. She attempted to take her own life by jumping into a well but was prevented by her husband. Her recovery is doubtful.

Morehead Mountaineer.—Mrs. R. F. Vansant and Mrs. Mollie Hudgins were in Olive Hill Wednesday where they went to see Dr. Cecil Hudgins, brother to Mrs. Vansant, who is suffering

from hardening of the arteries about her heart.

Campton, Ky., Sept. 21.—C. X. Johnson of Talega, and Charles Habbit, formerly of Hazel Green, have bought the outfit of the old Wolfe County News, and will resume publication of the paper. The first issue will appear the first week in October. The paper will be Democratic in politics.

Clarence Lottis, nine year old Kentucky boy who was taken to a hospital in Ironton, O., last week suffering from spinal meningitis died early Thursday morning. The body was shipped to the home of his parents.

The meningitis followed an attack of typhoid fever from which the boy recovered.

Miss C. B. Berry, of Ashland, who for the past year has so ably and successfully represented a Typewriter Co., in this territory which includes the Big Sandy division of the C. & O. railroad as well as a part of the Cincinnati division has resigned her position. She found the duties of a traveling salesman required her to be on the road at all hours of the day or night too great for her strength. Miss Berry will spend the winter at the home of her parents on a farm in Central Kentucky.

Squire S. J. Blair, of Ashland, who has been in poor health for some time suffering from a nervous derangement has gone to Falcon, Magoffin-co., where he will spend several weeks and hopes that the change will prove beneficial to his condition.

## WEST VIRGINIA ITEMS OF NEWS.

As an automobile containing seven people, among whom were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kerr of Huntington, was coming west about a mile east of this place last Sunday afternoon, an eastbound automobile ran into their car knocking it from the road.

Mrs. Kerr, formerly Miss Julia Fry, of this county, was the only person injured. She received a painful wound on the face and was brought to Ceredo for medical attention.—Ceredo Advance.

Huntington, W. Va., Sept. 23.—Geo. Church, marshal of Harboursville, ten miles from here, was shot and killed today by a gang of bootleggers he was trying to arrest. Church was formerly a police lieutenant here.

Williamson, W. Va.—Miss Anna Lambert, daughter of Mrs. Mary Lambert, of Thacker, and Mr. Sigmund Sabo, also of Thacker, were married here today at the Manse, by Rev. F. W. Phillips. The young couple are Hungarian by birth, and followed the charming old-world custom of appearing on the street in their wedding garments. The bride wore a becoming dress of white net, with long white veil, caught about the head with pink bride's roses.

The meeting of the Kanawha Convocation of the Protestant Episcopal church, which had been in session in Williamson for three days, was brought to a close Thursday night with sermon and confirmation by the Bishop, the Right Rev. W. L. Gravatt of Charleston.

The next meeting of the Convocation will be held in Princeton beginning January 31, 1917.

Col. R. E. Hardwick, one of the best known newspaper men in the state and for the past three years advertising manager on the Huntington Herald-Dispatch, passed away at his home in that city Monday morning of last week after a brief illness with typhoid fever. He was 61 years of age and his death was a great shock to a wide circle of friends.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Toler at Whiteshall Poultry Farm, Rawl, was the scene of a quiet wedding Saturday evening when Miss Martha Lenore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Toler became the bride of Mr. G. B. Billups, formerly of Tazewell-co., Va. Mr. and Mrs. Billups left for Bluefield and will spend some time visiting points of interest in Virginia.

## BUSSEYVILLE.

A very interesting sermon was delivered Sunday by our new pastor Rev. Godbey.

Miss Ella Roberts of Dry Ridge is visiting her cousin Miss Willie Belle Roberts of this place.

Mrs. Jim Hinkle and children of Richardson visited her sister, Mrs. Milt Pigg Sunday.

Miss Ruby Pigg is visiting relatives in Huntington.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller of Louisa were calling on friends in the village Sunday.

Aunt Lydie Hutchison of Louisa is visiting her brother, F. R. Bussey.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Cheek were calling on home folks Sunday.

Misses Marie and Kathleen Holt spent Thursday night with the Roberts girls.

Gertrude Pigg and Kathleen Holt called on Willie Belle Roberts Sunday afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Hays called on Mr. and Mrs. Eliza Ball Sunday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. Godbey spent Saturday night at L. E. Pigg's.

Uncle Bill Holt has sold his farm and will soon go to Ceredo. Their many friends hate to see them go.

Miss Brilla Neek entertained quite a number of young folks Sunday afternoon.

David Bradley, who has been very ill with fever, is getting some better.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Wellman called on home folks at Evergreen Sunday.

Brilla Neek spent Saturday night with Oia Hays.

Stant Miller and son Clyde of Charley were at L. E. Pigg's Friday.

Spelling match every Wednesday night. Everybody come.

## BOILER AND ENGINE FOR SALE.

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## SUNDAY-SCHOOL CONVENTION SOON

FIFTY-FIRST ANNUAL MEETING  
TO BE HELD AT SOMERSET,  
OCTOBER 5, 6, 7 AND 8.

## MARION LAWRENCE TO SPEAK

Sunday School Workers From All Parts of State to Be Present—Many Speakers of National Reputation Are on the Program.

The program that has been prepared for the fifty-first annual convention of the Kentucky Sunday School Association, which will meet at Somerset October 5-8, is an unusually attractive one. It is not often that so many speakers of national reputation can be secured for one gathering, but this time the committee in charge was very fortunate in getting just the leaders necessary to make the program so complete that there will be something that will be helpful for all Sunday School workers, whatever the position in the Sunday School may be. There will be a nifty through the entire program, the general theme being "To



Marion Lawrence, General Secretary International Sunday School Association, Chicago.

Serve," but there will be such a variety in the treatment of the topics, and such a number of conferences for the discussion of different parts of the Sunday School that every one will be able to find something that will suit his special needs.

The very mention of the names of such speakers as Mr. Marion Lawrence, Dr. John R. Sampey, Mrs. Phebe A. Curtiss, Miss Nannie Lee Frayser, Dr. Chas. D. Bulla, President R. H. Crossfield, President W. A. Ganfield, Dr. W. J. McGlothlin, Mr. C. J. Nugent, Mr. Roy Roadruck, makes one determine to attend the convention. Then in addition to hear Mr. Chas. H. Gabriel sing and to belong to a chorus with this famous author and leader of music as the director still gives one only a partial conception of the great things awaiting those who attend this convention.



Mrs. Phebe A. Curtiss, Columbus, O.

Some of the special features will be, Sunrise Prayer Meeting, Open Air Vespers Service, Great Sunday School Parade, Acquaintance Hour, Exhibit of Sunday School Supplies and Books, County Officers' Conference and Super-divisional Conferences.

The officers and workers of the Kentucky Sunday School Association will review the work of the last year, and present plans for the future, the State President, Mr. Houston Quinn; State Treasurer, Mr. Clarence Watkins; General Secretary, Rev. Geo. A. Joplin; Field Workers, Rev. T. C. Gebauer and Mr. W. J. Vaughan; Office Secretary, Miss Frances Grigsby, will all have places on the program.

Every Sunday School in Kentucky is entitled to send delegates, and some schools will send a number, and in that way will bring back to the school the most helpful, up-to-date plans and ways for improving the Sunday School. All pastors, superintendents and teachers who can possibly do so ought to attend this convention. Write to the Kentucky Sunday School Association, 713 Louisville Trust Building, Louisville, for further information, if desired.

## ACQUAINTANCE HOUR

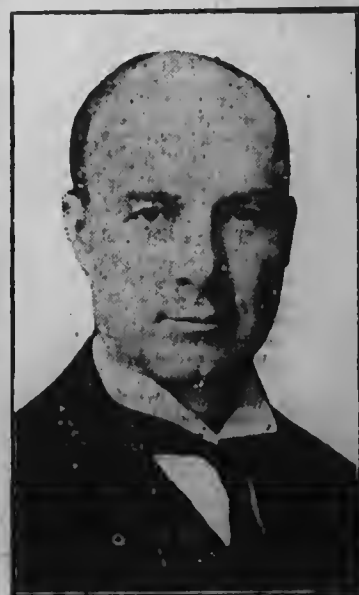
Feature of State Sunday School Convention.

All over Kentucky there are men and women who are doing fine things in their own Sunday Schools, some are pastors, some are superintendents and some are teachers. Then there are a lot of people who serve as county officers, giving very much of their time and energy to helping all the schools in their counties to do better work and get more people into their schools. Many of these have never met the workers outside of their own counties. There will be an opportunity at the State Convention for these to get together, learn each other's names, tell some of the successes they have won, and learn how to solve some of the problems they have met. One of the great blessings that comes from a large-convention is the making of new friendships.

## KNOWLEDGE OF BIBLE ESSENTIAL THIS YEAR

Superintendent Educational Department of the Kentucky Sunday-School Association to Speak at Convention.

Leading educators now admit that a knowledge of the Bible is necessary for the truest type of education. The Sunday-school is fast becoming a real educational institution, and the same test of efficiency should be given to the work done there that is given to the work done in the day school, and the teachers in the Sunday-schools should be given as careful training.



Dr. W. J. McGlothlin, Educational Superintendent, Kentucky Sunday-School Association.

and there should be opportunities offered both teachers and pupils for securing this Bible knowledge. Dr. W. J. McGlothlin, of the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, is the superintendent of this department of the State Association, and has been working out some splendid advance plans. He will come directly from an important meeting in Washington to Somerset and he one of the speakers at the convention.

## IS A PROMINENT EDUCATOR

President R. H. Crossfield, Enthusiastic Sunday-School Worker, is on Convention Program.

There are some people who are able to do many things, and do them all well. Dr. Crossfield was for many years a successful pastor, and organized in his church a fine Adult Bible Class. Later he was called to the presidency of a great university, and made such a success of that there was added the presidency of a Bible college for the training of ministers. In whatever position he is placed he is always ready to give freely of his gifts to helping in any movement that is trying to make the world better. It is a difficult matter for such a man to so adjust his time that he can accept the invitations that come to him. It is a great pleasure to the Sunday-school workers of the state that Dr. Crossfield can take part in the annual Sunday-school convention to be held at Somerset, October 5-8.

## ENCOURAGING REPORTS

Wonderful Strides Have Been Made By Sunday-Schools of State.

The last year has been one of remarkable growth in the Sunday-schools of Kentucky. The reports of the President, Mr. Houston Quinn; the General Secretary, Rev. Geo. A. Joplin; the Field Workers, Rev. T. C. Gebauer and Mr. W. J. Vaughan; the Office Secretary, Miss Frances L. Grigsby, together with those of the Departmental Superintendents of the Kentucky Sunday-school Association, which will be made to the State Convention in Somerset, will show that the year has been one that has surpassed all former years. The success attained, however, is only a challenge to greater things in the future.



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## DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For President  
WOODROW WILSON  
of New Jersey.

For Vice President  
THOS. R. MARSHALL  
of Indiana.

For Congress  
WM. J. FIELDS  
of Carter County.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS.

WM. TAYLOR, of Glenwood, announces that he will be a candidate for Sheriff of Lawrence county, subject to the action of the Democratic party in the next primary election at which candidates for Sheriff are to be nominated.

We are authorized to announce LAFE WALTER as candidate for County Judge of Lawrence county subject to the action of the Republican party at the next primary at which the candidates for this office are to be nominated.

We are authorized to announce BASCOM MUNCY, of Louisa, Ky., as a candidate for Sheriff of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Republican party in the next primary election at which candidates for sheriff are to be nominated.

We are authorized to announce J. P. WILLIAMS as a candidate for Sheriff of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Republican party in the primary of August, 1917.

We are authorized to announce DOCK GREEN, of Blaine, Ky., as a candidate for County Court Clerk of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Republican party in the next primary at which candidates for County Court Clerk are to be nominated.

We are authorized to announce W. D. SHANNON as a candidate for Sheriff of Lawrence-co., subject to the action of the Democratic party in the August 1917 primary.

Friday, September 29, 1916.

## IT'S A BIG JOB.

No president since Lincoln has had to handle such complex problems as President Wilson has been confronted with. He has kept you out of war. He stopped the railroad strike. Financial, agricultural and labor legislation of his administration stand as a great monument to work well done. Do you want to make a change?

LET HIM FINISH IT.

Who wants to swap off the present unparalleled prosperity? Nobody but the Republican pie hunters.

John M. Parker, recently nominated for vice president on the Progressive ticket, has come out for Wilson and will make speeches for him.

What has become of that old campaign cry about "confidence" as applied to business and politics? The great Federal Reserve money system killed this bugaboo and the panic germ and paralyzed the calamity howler at the suno fell swoop.

We ordered a certain grade of job printing ink recently and received a letter from the manufacturer stating that the price had increased one thousand per cent on account of the European war, which made it very difficult to procure the coloring matter for this purple copying ink. Yet, they tell us the war is making the enormous prosperity that the United States is enjoying. Some grades of paper are three times as high as before the war, because the raw products are not being shipped in.

The truth is that this country is prosperous in spite of the war. Only munitions plants and a few lines demanded for the soldiers of Europe are prospering because of the war. Look at the great lumber industry. It was paralyzed for awhile by the war, on account of exports being shut off. The foreign markets are still shut off, but the prosperity is so great inside the United States that the lumber business is booming.

The great new money system put into effect by President Wilson's administration, preventing panics and guaranteeing a steady supply of money for carrying on business enterprises, is more than anything else responsible for the present prosperity.

That Wilson's clear-headedness, courage and progressive tendencies would attract the independent minds of the country to his standard has been confidently expected. Now as the issues between the two presidential candidates, the men and the things they stand for, are being discussed and made clear the lining up begins. Besides the large number of progressive and independent leaders already in the Wilson ranks, in the last two weeks the following significant things have come to pass:

Thomas A. Edison comes out in a strong interview approving Wilson's courage, wisdom and course of action and announces his support of him.

Roger Babson, Boston's famous statistician and financial expert, a life-long Republican, comes over to Wilson. He is won to Wilson by Wilson's high conceptions and course in dealing with great national and international problems.

Luther Burbank, the world's most distinguished scientist in plant life and development, publicly announced adherence to Wilson, as "The greatest President America has ever had."

Miss Ida M. Tarbell, one of the foremost leaders of thought in America, whose history of the Standard Oil Company was nothing less than epochal in its effect, announces her active support of Wilson. She said: "He is the first real progressive leader this decade has produced."

Miss Ella Flagg Young, Superintendent of Chicago's schools for years, announces her support of Wilson and is actively at work for his re-election.

Mrs. Antoinette Funk, of Illinois, one of the most distinguished suffragettes in the nation, and a leading Progressive, and because Wilson's record on the suffrage question is better than Hughes'.

The Springfield (Mass.) Republican, by many believed to be the most influential paper in the United States, a paper that during its existence of nearly a century has held an unwavering course of conscientious devotion to the right as it saw the right, arrays itself in the Wilson ranks.

The rejection by the National American Woman Suffrage Convention at Atlantic City of Mrs. Raymond Robins' resolution in favor of Hughes, Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, the venerable pioneer leader, helping in its defeat.

Over two thousand of the working women of Chicago have formed the "Wilson Working Women's League," to work for the re-election of Wilson, because "He places human values above property values, the common people on a par with 'Big Business.'"

## BLAINE.

Mrs. H. C. Osborn is on the sick list. Dr. N. T. Rice was a business caller here Monday.

Henry Walter left Wednesday for Washington where he will attend school again this winter. His sister, Pearl accompanied him as far as Ashland.

The sick of our community we are glad to say are improving.

The O. E. S. met Saturday with good attendance.

C. R. Holbrook spent Sunday with home folks.

Aunt Saddle Carter is visiting Mrs. G. V. Burton this week.

Mrs. Alma Bolling attended Chapter here Saturday.

Henry Dean's child was brought here for burial from Little Blaine Tuesday.

The child died Monday.

Mrs. M. M. Burgess was here visiting her mother Tuesday.

J. S. Osborn was a business caller at the Blaine Bank Tuesday.

Mr. Robinson, traveling man was in town Tuesday.

F. R. Moore was seen in our town last week in his new machine.

Mrs. Marton Sparks was here shopping Tuesday.

## SNOOKEY OOKUMS.

## A CHANCE FOR REVENUE.

Three hundred years ago any man absent from church on Sunday was fined a shilling. What a war revenue that would produce now!—Baltimore Star.

## APATHY IN REPUBLICAN RANKS.

Paintsville, Ky., Sept. 26, 1916.

Your scribe was in the courthouse today and heard Hon. J. C. Speight speak to the dear people in Johnson county. The great rock ribbed Republican host of this county as it is called. His coming was heralded all over the country by posters tacked up on stores, trees and everywhere and as the time approached the leaders began to hint the boys up and corral them in the courthouse, and they seemed to think they had done well and by actual count they had 59 men and boys, white and one colored man to hear this great exponent of the people's rights. He made the same speech that they have been making for over twenty years. If there was a single cheer greeted Mr. Speight I failed to hear it.

The truth is the people are for Wilson, the greatest American of the ages, and they say we can't afford to swap horses crossing a turbid stream.

## WILSON REPUBLICAN.

Another car load of Fords has been received by Augustus Snyder, local agent.



Choose  
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With Care

THE gift is ever a constant reminder of the giver. How important it is then that your remembrance to the graduate or bride be a suitable selection. Here you may find dainty pieces for personal adornment—bracelets; la valieres; rings; cuff-buttons. Or, there are articles for home use—silver; toilet sets, vases. We also have a splendid lot of those timepieces of merit—

ELGIN WATCHES.

Take time to stop in.

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LOUISA, KY.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

F. H. Yates returned Sunday from Irvine.

Rev. L. M. Copley was in Ashland Tuesday.

C. R. Holbrook, of Blaine, was in Louisa Tuesday.

B. F. Conley, of Hager Hill, was in Louisa Thursday.

R. C. McClure was in Louisville last week returning Monday.

G. C. Swetnam of Wilbur, transacted business in Louisa Thursday.

J. Isralsky left Tuesday night for Cincinnati to purchase goods.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Thompson were visiting in Ashland Thursday.

Herbert Roberts has been in Huntington, W. Va., for several days.

R. T. Burns was in Prestonsburg Saturday, the guest of relatives.

Felix Adams a prominent citizen of Overda was in Louisa Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Augustus Snyder were recent visitors in Wayne, W. Va.

Miss Gladys Atkins has returned from a visit in Huntington, W. Va.

J. D. Burton, of Ulysses, was the guest of his son, A. L. Burton Monday.

E. J. Skaggs, of the National Military Home, Tenn., is in Louisa for a few days.

Mrs. D. W. Blankenship and daughter went to Jenkins Monday to spend a few days.

J. W. M. Stewart and F. L. Stewart were business visitors up Big Sandy Wednesday.

Mrs. M. S. Burns and Miss Shirley Burns returned Saturday from a visit in Cincinnati.

Herbert Queen, of Van Lear, was in Louisa Sunday, the guest of his brother, Wm. E. Queen.

Miss Georgia Riffe, who attends school here, spent Sunday with home folks on East Fork.

Jas. H. Hatcher, of Amerstdale, W. Va., is spending a few days with his family at this place.

Dick Wilson, who has employment on Beaver, spent a few days with his family here last week.

Earl McClure and family were over from the farm and spent last Sunday at the Brunswick hotel.

Mrs. Josephine Rice has gone to Ohio for a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Howard Hays, near Mt. Vernon.

Miss June Adkins, who is teaching at Webb, W. Va., visited Kula Payne, at Kermit Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Luther left Wednesday for a visit to his mother who lives near Huntington, W. Va.

E. G. Pinkerton, of Hicksville, transacted business in Louisa last Saturday. He paid the NEWS office a call.

Miss Agnes Abbott went to Spaulding, W. Va., for a visit to her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Arnett.

Mrs. Nick Alexiou and her two children have returned to Williamson, after a weeks' visit with her parents here.

J. F. Christian, of R. D. No. 1, Fort Gay, W. Va., was a visitor in Louisa Wednesday and paid the NEWS office a call.

Mr. Eli Trent, of Fort Gay, paid the NEWS office a call Tuesday. He is in his 85th year and is as sprightly as a man of 65.

Miss Maude Hongland went to Pikeville last Friday on business for the Singer Sewing Machine Co., and returned Sunday.

Miss Beale Wright, of Junction City, has arrived from Cincinnati and will be in charge of the millinery department in Justice's store.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Vaughan returned Monday from Huntington where they had visited relatives and attended the Fall Festival.

Mr. J. H. Millard left Tuesday for his home at Redway, Maryland-co., after a few days visit to the family of his son, Dr. Fred Millard.

Mr. N. D. Waldeck went to Portsmouth, O. Tuesday to spend a week with John Waldeck and family and attend the Korn Carnival.

We regret to learn that Mrs. Josephine Clay will move to Williamson, W. Va. Louisa people are very sorry to lose this excellent family.

Dr. and Mrs. Everett Conley, who were married in Louisville last Thursday, came to Louisa Saturday and were at the Brunswick hotel for a few days.

Rev. N. H. Young and wife have gone to his new appointment at Corbin. They were guests a few days of Judge J. B. Clayton and family near town before leaving.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. L. McDyer left Monday morning for Paintsville where they expect to be for some time. Mr. McDyer looking after road work in Johnson county.

Miss Lillian Ferguson came over from Wayne, West Va., and was accompanied home by Miss Hazel Kirby of Tennessee, who had been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Jas. Vinson.

James Sowards, of the Sowards Insurance Agency, Pikeville, called at the NEWS office Tuesday while in town on business. He has a large line of insurance business of all kinds.

Mr. John R. Riffe, manager of the Louisa Telephone office, is enjoying a few days vacation. On Tuesday he and Mrs. Riffe left for Normal to visit the family of his son-in-law, Mr. R. H. Hall.

## The Season's Most Popular Materials and Novelties In Dress Goods and Trimmings.

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In our showing of dresses for Fall you see not only Fashion's latest decrees in style and color, but you will at once note the unique and individual features that lift them above the common place—lending them originality and exclusiveness.

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Everet McDavid, Dobbs, Ky., One Shorthorn Bull.  
Morton Hammonds, Jattle, Ky., One Shorthorn Bull.

TO—John Elswick, Rush, Ky., One Reg. Duroc Boar.  
John Elswick, Rush, Ky., One Reg. Duroc Gilt.  
W. L. Webb, Overda, Ky., One Reg. Duroc Boar.  
W. L. Webb, Overda, Ky., One

Reg. Duroc Gilt.  
Cyrus Webb, Overda, Ky., One Reg. Duroc Bred Sow.  
W. W. Richards, Lakeland, O., 2 Reg. Duroc Gilt.  
W. W. Richards, Lakeland, O., One Reg. Duroc Boar.  
W. W. Richards, Lakeland, O., One Grade Duroc Bred Sow.  
H. C. Ross, Rush, Ky., One Reg. Duroc Bred Gilt.

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OVER TWO YEARS LATER, Mr. Shannon said: "I am glad to confirm what I said about Doan's Kidney Pills when I endorsed them before."

Prize 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Shannon has twice publicly recommended. Foster-McMillan Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.



## The New Fall Suits and Overcoats Now On Display

Also, Shoes for Everybody

A SQUARE DEAL FOR EVERYBODY.

### R. Blankenship

GARTIN'S OLD STAND

LOUISA, KENTUCKY

#### BIG SANDY NEWS.

Friday, September 29, 1916.



You Know Him.

I do not like this Oswald Fife.  
The lazy young scoundrel.  
He claims he has an aim in life.  
But he's too tired to shoot.

—Luke McLuke.

You can get your old hats made over and hats made to order at Burton's.

Two second hand buggies for sale. S. S. THOMPSON, Louisa, Ky.

The Woman's Missionary Society met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. L. Miller.

Ladies, listen. See the handsome line of millinery goods at A. L. Burton's.

FOR SALE:—11 thoroughbred Duroc Jersey pigs, 6 weeks old. GEO. LAYNE, Louisa, Ky.

Miss Cynthia Montgomery, formerly of Haysville, Ky., but later of Detroit, Mich., is here in school for the winter. —Hazel Green Herald.

## New goods arriving daily, ladies suits, coats, hats, shoes in fact everything in the ready-to-wear line. :: ::

Prices are more reasonable than ever before. I warn you before you buy to be sure and call at JAKE'S STORE as it will be to your interest. A new line of dresses, suits and coats and hats is now on the way from New York. We expect them in a few days. Styles are up to the minute, prices lower than ever before. Pay no attention to people hawking high prices. It's not as bad as they say. To give you an idea of prices will quote a small price list.

Ladies Hats \$1.00 and up.  
Ladies Suits worth \$20.00 at \$12.00.  
Ladies Coats \$2.98 and up.  
Ladies Waists 35c and up.  
Ladies Shoes \$1.50 and up.  
Men's Pants \$1.48 and up.  
Overalls, the old dyes, at 98c. Retail elsewhere \$1.25 to \$1.50.  
Men's good shirts at 45c.  
Blankets 75c and up.  
Men's Hats—we received a sample line prices ranging from \$1.25 to \$3.00. Our price 75c to \$2.00.

Come next Saturday will have great attractions. Do not be misled. Look for JAKE'S STORE, same old stand.

### J. ISRALESKY

LOUISA, KENTUCKY

**BAPTIST CHURCH.**  
W. A. Gaugh, Pastor.  
Sunday School 9:30 a. m.  
Preaching 10:45 a. m.  
P. Y. P. U. 6:45 p. m.  
Preaching 7:30 p. m.  
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.  
The public invited.

A. L. Burton will have all kinds of fall goods in just as soon as the adjoining room is made ready for him. He will occupy both rooms.

Sam May, of Floyd-co., will move to Louisa and occupy the residence of Mrs. Hannah M. Lackey on Franklin street recently vacated by Dr. Walters.

We are glad to state that Dr. G. W. Wroten is able to be out again, after several weeks illness. While quite weak yet, he is gradually gaining strength.

**TEAMS FOR SALE.**—A good span of mules and excellent pair of horses for sale at reasonable prices. All good work animals. AUGUSTUS SNYDER, Louisa, Ky.

Jas. H. Hatcher and family will move from the Flem McHenry cottage on upper Jefferson-st. into the residence on Lock-av. occupied by Mr. and Mrs. L. J. May.

The Nora Kennison Club will meet next Monday afternoon at two o'clock with Mrs. Mary B. Horton. All members are urged to be present. MRS. WM. BYINGTON, Sec.

**MULES FOR SALE.**—A pair of mules, dark brown, sleek and straight. 3 years old. Weight 2200 pounds. Price \$350. Brunk Vanhorn, Zella, Ky.

Leon, son of Dr. Bromley, who has had typhoid for about four weeks, developed symptoms a few days ago that gave the family some uneasiness, but at this time the indications are much better, we are glad to say.

The ladies of the M. E. Church South will serve a dinner at the court house on the second day of the county fair, Oct. 12th. They will also serve cake and ice cream in the auditorium of the K. N. C. building the afternoon of the same day.

At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Salyers, this city, their daughter, Miss Lillie Salyers and Mr. Trimble, of Vainville, were married last Saturday evening. The Rev. W. A. Gaugh, pastor of the Baptist church officiated.

C. E. Hensley and wife and H. F. Frazer and C. R. Wilson, merchants, motored to Chillicothe, Ohio, and back this week. The two merchants bought nice bills from the firm represented by Mr. Hensley and the trip was very much enjoyed by all.

Dr. Don Flanery, who was graduated from a Chicago Medical school and has been there this summer taking a post graduate course, has gone to Mouth of Card, Pike-co., to visit his parents. He will go later to Charleston, W. Va., to practice his profession.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Q. Lackey have moved their household goods from the residence they occupied last winter to the new Brannan house on Lock-av. They expect to remain at their summer home on Two Mile for several weeks before coming to town for the winter.

This announcement notifies the public that Drs. Walters & Millard have dissolved partnership in the practice of dentistry. Hereafter I will conduct a separate and individual practice. My patrons and friends will find me in my original location, the room over A. L. Burton's store. F. A. MILLARD.

**FOR SALE.**—The property of Nettie Neal at Hubbardstown, West Va., stock of general merchandise and store fixtures and four acres real estate. Dwelling house, store building, barn, corn crib, chicken house. Plenty of fruit. All in grass, except gardens. See C. W. NEAL, Agt. on premises.

Mrs. Elizabeth Eldridge went to Ashland Tuesday to attend the wedding of Miss Frances F. Friel and Mr. Paul Chandler, of Philadelphia, which took place at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. G. F. Friel on Tuesday evening. Mrs. Eldridge also visited relatives in Catlettsburg before returning home.

The Very Rev. Charles Ewell Crank, dean of Christ Church Cathedral, Louisville, and his son, Charles Ewell Crank, Jr., a student for the ministry, were seriously injured early Sunday morning while driving to services at the cathedral when their automobile was wrecked by an interurban car at Woodside Station. Both are at Norton Infirmary. Little hope is entertained for Dr. Crank's recovery.

Brooks McElowney left last Sunday for his home in Charleston, West Va. His parents, Rev. and Mrs. McElowney had left several days before and Brooks remained for a visit to Jim Ferguson.

Among those who entertained in his honor were Ellen Hughes, Emily Conley and Jim Ferguson, the farewell party being held at the home of Alva Snyder, on Saturday evening. "The bunch" regretted to see Brooks leave.

**THE POTTER SHOE CO.**  
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Will exhibit a complete line of the smartest types of Fall and Winter Footwear at the Brunswick Hotel Monday, Oct. 2. We extend a most cordial invitation to the people of Louisa and vicinity to call and inspect same. E. L. FRANKEN, in Charge.

**Look! Look!**

For best prices bring junk of all kinds to me at Louisa, just back of Compton's blacksmith shop. Also, I buy yellow root, mayapple and all marketable roots.

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on men and boys clothing, Ladies suits and coats, the famous Walk-Over shoes for men, Queen Quality for the ladies, boys and misses shoes. Ladies, misses and childrens hats, in fact you can dress the whole family at this store. Please call and see us. At Pierce's old stand.

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OUR AUTUMN SALE OF THE SEASON'S CHOICEST FASHIONS IN WOMEN'S AND MISSES' SUITS, COATS, DRESSES, WAISTS AND HIGH-GRADE SHOES, IS ATTRACTING MUCH ATTENTION.

**Largest line of Millinery ever displayed in Louisa, with an expert trimmer from the city.**

ALL OF REAL MERIT AND UNEQUALED VALUES—JUSTICE'S VALUES.

#### ROVE CREEK.

Church at this place Sunday was largely attended.

Sofa Stewart was here Sunday.

Henry Lambert returned home Saturday from his work.

Hattie Tomlin paid home folks a visit Sunday.

Bertha Vanhorn, who has been sick for some time, is able to be out again.

We are sorry to hear of the death of Mr. and Mrs. George Bryant's baby.

Annie and Carrie Vanhorn were in Ashland Monday.

Sofa Stump is contemplating a trip to West Virginia where she expects to spend the winter.

Mrs. Earl and Eva Vanhorn were shopping in Zella Tuesday.

Purl Vanhorn of Adeline, was calling at Whites creek Sunday.

#### TWO GIRLS.

#### TO SELL.

One farm 88 acres, good land, 2 good dwellings, store house and large barn, 20 acres in grass, 50 acres cultivation, balance woodland, water in kitchen from fine sulphur spring, good well, extra garden, young orchard, plenty of bearing fruit, 18 acres good corn, potatoes sweet and Irish, good timber on land not in cultivation, mineral on farm unsold. One Holstein male, weight

1000 lbs., one Jersey male, two black tongue heifers soon be giving milk, one 1 year old cow, one mule, one improved stock hog, and all farming tools, located in Lawrence-co., on Levisa fork of Big Sandy river, on county road, half mile of postoffice, stores and church. For further particulars apply to T. B. SANSOM, Henrietta, Ky.

The dangerous season for forest fires has set in, and Forester Barton has re-appointed the following wardens, who served last spring: S. G. Combs, Clay county; T. H. Hyden, Leslie county; William Parker, Bell county.

### The New Savoy

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Shoes for Men, Women and Children

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LOUISA, KENTUCKY

#### A KENTUCKIAN WHO THINKS VIRGINIA IS ALL RIGHT.

The following letter was received by a friend of R. A. E. Leslie, who bought a farm in Virginia about a year ago: Burkeville, Va.—I am glad I came. I spent ten years looking over west and south to find a place where a poor man could pay for a good farm. That place is Notaway-co., Va. This was owned by rich slave owners. When the negroes were freed and went to the cities the whites were helpless and sought softer jobs than farming. We need people. This is the finest climate I have ever seen. Ten degrees warmer in winter and ten degrees cooler in summer. I have two thermometers and as they agree, it must be true. I compare with Cincinnati whence comes my daily paper. Rain abundant and regular. Good corn, wheat, oats and every grass that grows in Kentucky. The greatest place I have ever seen for all stock raising. I never had such fruit and gardens. Timber abundant. We burn wood. You can buy five times as much level land for your money, as you can get in Ky. Schools are good and churches convenient. The most sociable people I have ever seen. The young and old enjoy themselves. I have never seen a drunk man since I came to Virginia last December.

People take time for pleasure because they do not have to grub so incessantly for a living. Any man can buy a farm. With a small payment, he can get all the time he wants. Roads are fine and growing better right along. Rural delivery everywhere.

I have no land to sell, but if any one is tired of the mountains, and wishes to use my long search for a home, to aid him to better things, use me. When he gets to Burkeville, Va., call up Hunter Osborne and he will bring a car load to my house in 50 minutes.

I called it "Lame Duck Place" because I am that kind of a duck and this farm would bring \$2500 in Kentucky.

R. A. E. LESLIE.

#### OUR WEEKLY POME.

I long to hear the school bell ring and gather up my books, and daily trudge over wooded hills and cross the babbling brooks on wobbly logs or slippery stones as in the days of yore, when mother pulled my stockings on and smoothed my pinafore. I long to take the teacher dear an apple red and juicy; and sometimes, too, a big sweet-cake baked for me by "Aunt Lucy." I long to win her pretty smile and hear her cry, "Oh, my!" when her pearly teeth assault the fruit and juice squirrels in her eye. I long to cipher on a slate and take two feet from four, and earn the teacher's frown of hate when I scrape 'em on the floor. I long to add naught unto naught by process padded and slow, and spit on the slate and wipe it out with a swipe of my good elbow. Alas! they say by school butters slates cannot now be had, but all must cipher, write, and so forth, on a paper pad. That seems a mean thing to do. Where has all manhood gone to? Give boys a slate, say I, and let the girls pad if they want to. Oh, how I long for the good old days when the world was not askew; when teachers thumped you on the head or paddled your frail canoe. For now a boy's on his p's and q's through all the bloom'n' term through fear his precious life he'll lose by eatin' poisonous germs!—Cynthiana Democrat.

#### LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

Cheloland, Sept. 26.—Cattle: receipts 150 head; market slow. Calves: receipts 200 head; market slow. Sheep and lambs: receipts 1,500 head; market 25c lower; good to choice lambs \$10@10.25. Hogs: receipts 2,000 head; market 5c lower. Yorkers \$11, heavies and mediums \$11.15, pigs and roughs \$9.20, stags \$8.75.

Pittsburg, Sept. 26.—Cattle steady; supply light; choice \$8.25@8.75, prime \$8.25@9.40. Sheep steady; supply light, prime wethers \$8@8.25, cull and common \$3.50@5, lambs \$6.50@11. Veal calves \$12.50@13. Hogs steady; receipts light; prime heavies \$11.25@11.50, medium and heavy Yorkers \$11@11.20, light Yorkers \$9.75@10, pigs \$9@9.50, roughs \$9.50@10.25.

#### MARRIED IN IRONTON.

Fred Sparks, 25, of Christmas, Ky., and Anna Wright, 18, of Lawrence county, Ky., were married in Ironton Tuesday.



Only the tor-  
res of the me-  
sural rack are  
comparable to  
the agonies which  
many women

## KENTUCKY TESTIMONY.

**Good Counsel.**

As a rule, a man can do only one thing at a time and do it well. Some men are specially prepared for their work by natural advantages, as were Hugh Miller, and the same by sheer trouble, reaching their rightful places only after having graduated at the university of hard knocks. It doesn't make much difference what you do, if you only do it. Any man by diligent effort, ought to reach success in any occupation by the time he is thirty or thirty-five. But he must stick to one thing. Center your efforts on one thing. Don't be a jack-of-all-trades, like Mr. Tompkins. Better have one big idea than a score of little ones. A man whose whole energy, body, mind and soul is concentrated in one direction is a tremendous force.

Earn your own bread and see how sweet it will be. Work and see how well you will be. Work and see how cheerful you will be. Work and see how independent you will be. Work and see how happy your family will be. Work and see how religious you will be.

**LUKE M'LUKE SAYS.**  
Some men give you the impression  
that the only use they have for their

What has become of the old-fashioned man who used to stay home at night and read the Pilgrim's Progress? The women certainly believe in advertising. And most of them dress as to act as their own shop windows.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

and loved by all who knew him. He had been sick most of his life. Just think, father and mother, what a great change your little ones have made. You ought to rejoice over the great change. What a grand meeting it was for little Henry to welcome them in.

IN MEMORY.

place her among the angels, and those whose hearts are made saddest here can only say "Thy will of God be done."

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price. Nevertheless, a few people seem



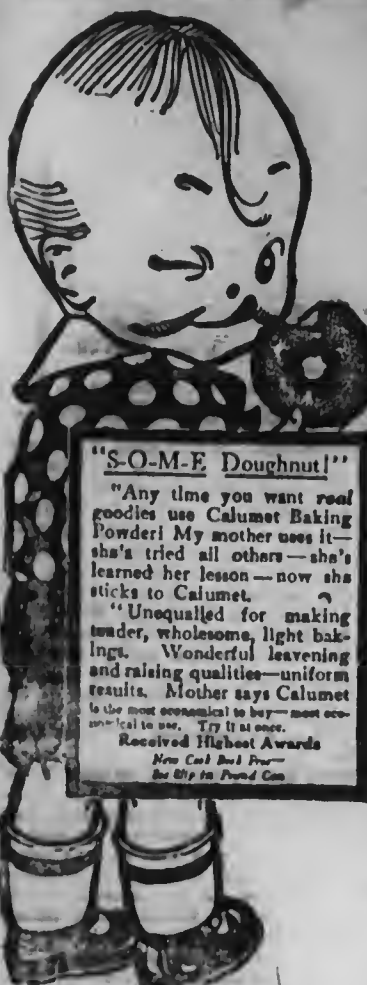
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Cheap and big can Baking Powders do not save you money. Calumet does—it's pure and far superior to sour milk and soda.

## AVERTED CRISIS.

A joint debate took place in Cincinnati a few days ago between Congressman Fess and Howdle.

Mr. Howdle said the entire Republican delegation from Ohio, except Congressman Fess, had voted for the bill.

Mr. Howdle inquired: "What would Brother Fess have done in such a crisis? It is easy enough to be a chauffeur from the rear seat!"

"Republican crises are like epilepsies, their coming duty can be prophesied and figured. Every year at the first frost, there will be a crisis, actual or prophesied," said the speaker.

Mr. Howdle referred to the action of Roosevelt in the anthracite coal strike and this panic of 1907 as instances where there was no authority in law for meeting an emergency.

"It is a wise politician who lets the damage come and linger for a while, and then, when the nation clamors, relieves it. Suffering relieved is more appreciated than suffering prevented."

"If Woodrow Wilson had not still and done nothing, and had the strike been allowed to run two weeks, what a howl would have gone up, coast to coast, from the hungry, the sick, the cold, the bankrupt, for some bold stroke to settle it!" And then had Wilson settled it with such a bill as this bill he would have been a savior like unto Roosevelt.

Why, Congressman Fess, with his colleagues, would have fallen over each other to get to the hall of the House to vote on such a bill.

"The statesman averts the trouble. The politician lets it come and then cures it."

"The President was looking out for the public. He saw neither the unions nor the railway magnates. He saw a suffering public and acted. He did not play the politician and see them suffer, and then act."

"Hughes and Fess stand pretty nearly alone in their condemnation of this law. Seventy Republicans, led by Mr. Cannon, stood by the President, and refused to join the group of critics."

Mr. Howdle closed with a eulogy of President Wilson and Mr. Fess took the floor to answer him, reiterating that his Democratic opponent had not met the question. During the debate there were eleven hits of repartee and it was conceded by the crowd that each man had handled his side of the case in a masterly manner.

## SKAGGS.

While at work at the Walters timber job last week John Skaggs was killed by a falling tree. He leaves a wife and two children to whom we extend our sympathy.

**NERVOUSNESS**  
**DENOTES**  
**WEAKNESS**  
but is promptly relieved  
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is not a nerve-quitter, but nature's  
greatest nerve-builder, without  
alcohol or opiate.

Scott & Borne, Philadelphia, Pa. 12-25

Dr. Oscar Bailey is very low with typhoid. Chances for his recovery seem doubtful.

F. E. Skaggs and family intend to move to Gillespieville, Ohio next week.

Dr. H. R. Skaggs was calling on Miss Carrie Holbrook Sunday.

Burnard Skaggs and Newt Sparks were out buying cattle quite recently.

Dr. H. H. Gambill and family were calling on G. V. Burton Sunday.

L. E. Skaggs is going to Ross county, Ohio soon in search of a new location.

A. E. Lyon has broken the record for squirrel hunting, having killed nine at one stroll.

Earl Skaggs is the proud owner of a dog who will hunt the opossum, kill and bring them in home. Now this is no joke. This is real truth although not usual.

## WEBBVILLE.

The iron work for the new bridge that is to be erected one mile above Webbville has arrived and is to be put up as fast as possible.

L. J. Webb, Jr., is home this week with his family.

Leonard Lang is visiting home folks and the "near-by" this week. He has a nice position in Cincinnati now.

Born, to W. W. Kellar and wife on Friday, a ne girl.

Miss Emma Thompson returned from Huntington Monday where she has been doing some shopping.

Mrs. Maud Riffe and Miss Martha Thompson have been here having dental work done.

Dr. C. L. Thompson and wife made a business trip to Grayson Tuesday.

Miss Emma Fleming was up to O. E. B. Saturday from Willard.

Mrs. Levi Webb, Sr., was visiting friends in Grayson Saturday.

Miss Mary Reeves is visiting her sister this week.

John Burns and Mr. Calloway of Louisiana were here Monday.

Cecil Pennington has bought the farm owned by the Pennington heirs here.

Fred Duncan, our general depot agent, spent the week-end with his mother in Liverton.

## MATTIE.

There is Sunday school at the Cando church house every Sunday at 2 o'clock p. m. Everybody is invited to attend.

Miss Mollie Childers and sister, Mrs. Jennie Roberts, are visiting relatives at this place.

Miss Eliza Adame and Fannie Davis of Cordell, west Sunday guests of Miss Lula Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wellman were visiting relatives on Rich creek Sunday.

C. C. Hays and daughter, Jettie, were shopping in Louisville Wednesday last.

Jim Preston was on our creek Sunday.

Mrs. Nannie Moore of Rich creek spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Jay Moore.

Heuben Berry and Jesse Cordle made a business trip to this place Friday last.

Fred Moore left Monday last for Waverly, Ohio.

Roy Hays was calling on his best girl at Wilbur Sunday.

Mrs. J. D. Hall spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. H. F. Moore.

Estill Hays was calling on friends at Ledoto Sunday.

## FALLSBURG.

Church every Sunday night by Bro. G. M. Copley. Everybody come.

The Misses Riffe attended church here Sunday night.

Mrs. L. V. Calmes has just returned from a weeks visit with friends and relatives at Catlettsburg and Huntington.

Mrs. Everett Short of Ellen, spent a week with relatives at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Collinsworth were visiting at Ashland last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Short are visiting at Mt. Sterling, O.

Miss Lillian Frasier spent a week at W. M. Wootens on Newcomb.

Cupid says the wedding bells will ring in Fallsburg in the near future.

Miss Lizzie Tomlin spent a few days with home folks at Hove creek last week.

Mr. and Mrs. K. R. Holt were visiting her mother at Van Lear last week.

## ZELDA.

L. E. Cokney and family have moved to Normak.

The farmers are all busy cutting corn and digging potatoes.

Quite a crowd from Birchard, Buchanan, and Itova creek attended the ball game here Sunday.

Mr. K. Frazier has returned from Portsmouth where he has been working.

J. E. Dillan, of Ashford, Va., called on friends here Sunday.

Mrs. Sue Bellomy of Hubbardsburg called on friends here Saturday.

Harry Brinkley and Robert Kileore of Birchard called on Reye Meade and Alice Chaffins Sunday.

## SUNSHINE.

## PROGRAMME.

Program for Fallsburg and Bear creek District S. S. Convention to be held at Buchanan Chapel, Zelda, Ky., Saturday, Sept. 30, beginning at 10:30.

## Song Service.

Devotional by Rev. J. H. Dawson, pastor in charge.

Address of welcome by Supt. Eugene Curritute.

Response, Zach Bellomy.

Question for discussion "The Sunday School And The Kingdom Movement."

—W. J. Vaughan.

Making Lawrence Co. a Gold-Star County—County Secretary, W. H. Vaughan.

Appointment of Committee.

Offering For State Work. Adjournment for dinner.

## Neon.

Song Service.

Report of Committee, on nominations and resolutions. District Secretary's Report.

Sunday School Evangelism, by Rev. L. E. McElowney.

A Message From The County President, M. S. Burns.

Temperance And Purity, R. C. McClure.

Organization, followed by Round Table discussion, Rev. J. H. Dawson.

Standard Of Efficiency For An Ideal Supt., J. F. Hatten.

Response, Uncle Roll Burns.

Short talks by Supts. in District.

Why Am I Here? Rev. French Rice.

Plenty of music to intersperse the above program. Ice water and dinner will be served on the ground. Come and help us, workers, one and all, with your presence and co-operation to make this a glorious convention.

CHAS. MILLER, President.

ELIZABETH HATTEN, Dist. Secy.

## LETCHER COUNTY AND WHITESBURG.

## What is Happening in this Rich Coal Territory of Kentucky.

WHITESBURG, KY., Sept. 26.—The Tenth District Educational Association will hold its annual meeting here Oct. 26, 27 and 28 when an interesting program will be carried out, a large number of leading mountain educators taking part. It is understood that Prof. V. O. Gilbert State Superintendent will be here and make an address, besides other educators from out in the State.

Last year's meeting was held at Salsville when Letcher's attendance was the largest of any other county in the Tenth District.

Judge John F. Butler of the Letcher-like district has set down a special term of the Letcher Circuit Court to begin here Dec. 4 when he will make an effort to rid the congested condition of the docket, especially the common law and equity cases. A number of important suits will be disposed of.

An unfortunate occurrence took place at Kona Station in the coal fields Saturday when Henry Miller, aged 72, was struck by an engine on the Louisville & Nashville railroad and knocked from a trestle into Boone's Fork a considerable distance. He was picked up and rushed to the hospital in Fleming where he died from his injuries in two or three hours. The old man was hard of hearing, it is said, and fell to note the approaching train. His home was in Walker-co., Va., having come to this county some time ago on a visit with his two sons at Kona.

Dr. B. F. Smith leading physician of Whitesburg is excavating for a good business block on his property on Main street immediately above the David Hays property, the construction of which is to start at once. It is said that a hospital is likely to be maintained in a part of the building. This will be one of the best business buildings in town.

The negro Monroe White arrested at McRoberts in the road fields several days ago on a charge of having killed another negro having stabbed him with a dangerous dirk was tried before County Judge Henry T. Day and bound over to the next regular term of the circuit court. The grand jury will investigate.

John Henry Johnson charged with the murder of A. L. Blevins in Harpday a week was also tried before Judge Day and bound over.

The Western Union Telegraph Co. is making considerable improvement upon their lines by building new wires; overhauling and improving old lines into Jenkins, this county, via the Big Sandy Valley. In order to meet with the increased demand for the service due to the rapid development of our coal and timber resources. Within recent years phenomenal development in wire service, both telephone and telephone lines, local and long distance, has been made in Eastern Kentucky until at this time practically every community in the mountains can be reached by one or more lines.

News from Shelby Gap east of here is to the effect that Aunt Sarah J. Adams, aged over 80, wife of Uncle Geo. Adams, venerable citizen, died a few days ago after a long illness. She leaves a large family to mourn her great loss.

Jailer William Hall announces himself a candidate for sheriff of Letcher county subject to next year's primary. Mr. Hall will begin an active canvass within the next few months.

Kendall, the 3 year old son of Attorney Felix G. Fields died here last week after a brief illness of laryngitis. Eld. A. S. Petrey was called from Hazard to officiate at the funeral obsequies, after which the interment was in Sandlick cemetery.

It is understood that the Letcher Fiscal Court will hold an interesting meeting here early in October when plans will be perfected to begin another good roads campaign surrounding the city this fall. The most important road toward the coal fields will be further extended, while arrangements will be made for the building of a bridge across the Northfork at Mouth of Colby. The model roadway, one of the best in the mountains, has been completed that far. Letcher is still determined to lead all the other mountain counties in the point of good roads.

Interest which is increasing in the protection of the native forests of the county will be at its zenith this year, when every effort is to be made to prevent the wanton waste of hardwood timber, the dangerous season for forest fires now being on. State Forester J. E. Barton will appoint a County Warden who will guard closely interests of timber owners.

The Consolidation Coal Co., it is understood will still maintain two look-out stations in the mountains near Jenkins. These are connected by telephone direct from the central office at Jenkins and instant communication can be given in the event of an outbreak of a forest fire.

Mrs. Ritter Webb, wife of the late A. F. Webb of Sergeant was stricken with paralysis at the home of her sister, Mrs. John P. Back at Sandlick near here several days ago and at this writing is in a serious condition. It is said that she cannot recover.

Evangelist J. H. DeGiorno is billed to assist the Rev. A. C. Hutson in a series of meetings in Whitesburg, beginning October 2. The meetings will continue

for about two weeks. It is expected that much good will result.

The many friends of Thomas B. Talbott of Winchester are pleased to learn that he has again been appointed to the West Lexington Presbytery for another year. The Rev. Talbott has many loyal friends in Whitesburg and Letcher county who are pleased to know of his retention. Rev. Talbott is doing a great work in the mountain section.

## SILK DRESS PATTERN RETURNS AFTER 35 YEARS ABSENCE.

The following interesting article is from the Fairfax, Va., Herald, of Sept. 15, which was kindly furnished by Mr. George Gannell of Catlettsburg:

Mrs. Martha Holt, widow of Judge Monteville Holt, of Boyd-co., Ky., who lives with her daughter, Mrs. May, in Fairfax, recently received a parcel post package which, on opening, she found to contain a silk dress pattern of such peculiar color and design that she at once declared that it looked just like one which was stolen from her some 35 years ago; yet she did not believe it could be possible since that one had disappeared in such a manner as to lead her to believe that some one had stolen it.

Mrs. Holt had occasion to leave her home with an occupant one day. A few days later, on going to her bureau drawer to get the dress pattern that she had so carefully laid away, she was surprised and disappointed to find that it was not there, and, though she suspected a former servant of having stolen it, she could obtain no evidence of what had become of the dress pattern she had hoped to have made into a gown.

Years passed, and all recollection of the missing dress pattern had apparently been forgotten until the receipt of the above-mentioned parcel post package when its contents brought vividly to her mind the recollection of the stolen goods. The next mail brought a letter stating that the pattern she received was the very one that had so mysteriously disappeared many years ago. It had been found neatly packed in a box, placed high in the attic of a house that had not been occupied in the last sixteen years. Evidently the party who took it was, from sting of conscience or otherwise, prevented from appropriating it, and had finally eased her conscience by placing it where she had reason to believe that it would be found and returned to the owner. Circumstances indicate that they must have kept it some nineteen years, since it must have been placed in the vacant house where it was found subsequent to the removal of the last occupant of the house, which was 16 years ago, and the theft occurred in 1851, 35 years ago. Notwithstanding the long period that the cloth had been waiting to be manufactured into a garment, it was in a perfect state of preservation, and now, after many years of interrupted ownership, Mrs. Holt again has the pleasure of possession although he is still far from a solution of the identity of the theft.

## ADAMS AND IRAD.

Hilda McCown has broke up house keeping and gone to live with her daughter, Sue Thompson.

Mrs. Richard Webb, who has been ill for some time is no better.

Mrs. Emma Hays and Mrs. Violet Fugit were calling on Miss Nerva Walden last Saturday.

The people of this place were very sorry to hear of the ice cream supper at Dry Ridge being called off.

Carl Burdett was calling on friends here last Sunday as usual.

Miss William McComie and Miss Elva Thompson were shopping at Irad Friday last.

Miss Birdie Hays was calling on her sister, Mrs. Violet Fugit last Saturday and Sunday.

Carl Burdett is trying to slip a wedding on us but you can't fool me.

## JACK FROST.

## GREEN VALLEY.

John Belcher and wife and Mrs. Burton and daughter motored to Yatesville Wednesday and visited.

Business is progressing nicely in the city of Green Valley.

There will be a pie mite and entertainment Saturday night.

Ernest Watts has returned after an absence of some time.

Miss Laura Vanhorn was shopping at Cadmus Monday.

Misses Cora and Hannah Vanhorn were calling on Marie Riley Sunday.

Miss Lena Evans visited home folks on Irish creek.

Miss Pearl Chapman was shopping at Cadmus Thursday.

Miss Victoria Woods expects to leave Friday to spend the winter.

Mr. Nolin Scott, who has been away for some time, is expected home soon.

Miss Pearl Kitchen was shopping in Louisa Saturday.

Lafe Neal and wife were on our creek this week.

Fred Vanhorn is visiting relatives here.

Geo. Shortridge called here Sunday.

## LONELY GIRL.

## WHY HE BOUGHT FROM MAIL ORDER HOUSE.

(From the Natchez News-Democrat.) Recently a merchant of Natchez happened to see a farmer receive a box at the depot and noticed that it was from a mail order house. He also noticed that the goods were right in his line and the same as he carried for years. He immediately approached the farmer and said:

"I could have sold you goods you have here for less money than the Chicago house and saved you the freight."

"Then why don't you do so," said the farmer. "I have taken the loan paper or years and have not seen a line about you selling these or any other goods. This mail order house sends advertising matter to me asking for my trade, and they get it. If you have any bargains, why don't you put them in the paper so we can see what they are?"

MORAL—If you have anything to sell that you are not advertising, START NOW, in the Big Sandy News.

## NOTICE.

I will commence my sittings and hearing proof in the case of Tom Hays against M. C. Watson's executor at my office in Louisa, Ky., on the 29th day of September, 1916.

W. M. SAVAGE, M. C. L. C. C.

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No. 1—107 acres 8 miles from Portsmouth on a large stream. Three-fourths of this level, and nearly half of the level land below high water mark made from the backwater from the Ohio. A pair of this overflooded land is said to have been cultivated in corn for more than forty years in succession. Cuts more than a ton of timothy and clover to the acre. One good six room house almost new. Ordinary barn. The best well water I ever tasted. Good bearing orchard. An acreage of some fifty or sixty acres in corn.

Owner, being a bachelor, wishes to sell. Price.....\$5,000.

No. 2—300 acres, 200 of which is level. All but 60 to 75 acres in pasture, meadow and under cultivation. Good improvements. This farm lies

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No. 3—53 acres adjoining Nos. 1 and 2. 50 acres level. Fine house nearly new. Good barn and other out-buildings. 100 apple trees, 150 peach trees. The house alone could not be duplicated for \$1,500. Price.....\$2,000.

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## PIKE COUNTY NEWS

### ACQUITTED.

Alvin Estep, charged with the killing of Harrison McCoy, Sr., and Harrison McCoy, Jr., and seriously wounding the latter's brother in Pike-co. one year ago, was acquitted at his trial which was concluded Friday. Estes pleaded not guilty and claimed justification for the double killing which he never denied. The defense showed that old man Harrison McCoy and his two sons went to Estep's house one night and not only abused and threatened, but committed violence on members of his family. He shot one of the alleged intruders to death in the house and compelled the other two to run for their lives, shooting young Harrison McCoy as he fled, the wound later causing his death.

### TAKEN TO HOSPITAL.

Dr. P. C. Sanders, K. B. and Scott Raikes, prominent people of Elkton City, were here Sunday, enroute to Louisville, with Mrs. Elwick and a brother of Mr. Raikes will enter the Jewish hospital for treatment.

B. H. Rutledge of Grayson reached Hindman last week and found the clinic was to move the last week in this month to Pikeville, so he made arrangements to meet them at Pikeville. They said his eyes were going to be a very stubborn case. He left Hindman Monday to work his way through.

### FLANNERY ACQUITTED.

After deliberating for several hours the special jury returned a verdict on Saturday, acquitting former County Superintendent William E. Flannery of the murder of Dr. L. Q. Thornbury, with which he had been charged.

The shooting, which afterward resulted in the physicians' death, followed an extended quarrel and took place near the Card creek postoffice in July, 1915. Wide family relation on both sides made the case one of prominence, and large crowds gathered to hear both trials that followed.

### SENT TO PRISON.

PIKEVILLE, KY., Sept. 26.—Nerman Roberts was convicted today of shooting, with intent to kill, Deputy Sheriff J. M. Bitter and was sentenced to from one to five years in the penitentiary.

Mrs. Vergil Justice, a witness for the defense, was bound to the next grand jury under a perjury charge.

### RETURNED TO SCHOOL.

Edward Elliott left Monday for Omaha, Nebraska, where he will enter Omaha University. He had been visiting here for some time.

### MINE IMPROVEMENTS.

Manager J. B. Rogers is having a new commissary built and making other improvements at the Kewanee coal mines.

### REIVAL AT CHURCH.

Last Sunday at the Baptist church a series of meetings began. Rev. C. C. Daves, the pastor, is doing the preaching. He will be assisted by Rev. G. E. Kennedy, a well known Kentucky evangelist who has been in Missouri for some time. The meeting will probably continue several weeks. Much interest is being manifested.

### TRACHOMA HOSPITAL.

The hospital, which is being moved from Hindman to Pikeville will be opened to the public on next Tuesday, October 3, with a reception. Dr. John McMullen has arrived and will remain for some time. He is a surgeon in the

public health service. While this hospital is for the treatment of trachoma Dr. McMullen and his staff, consisting of Dr. R. W. Raynor and nurses, Misses Gutmann, Espey and Hicks, will be glad to assist in public health work which is in charge of Miss Emma Hunt. Eye sufferers will be given free treatment in the Pikeville hospital.

### RETURNED HOME.

Little James Martin Thornbury, son of the late Dr. L. Q. Thornbury, after having visited his grandfather in the country in Pike-co., for the past three months, has returned home with his aunt, Mrs. Robert Faulkner in Catlettsburg.

Mrs. A. D. Cline returned last Tuesday after spending a week with Coal Grove, O., friends and attending the Apple Show in Ironton.

R. H. Cooper has returned from Pittsburgh where he transacted business.

Charles Howles and Winston Connolly left Sunday for Lansing, Mich., to resume their studies in the Agricultural College of Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Langley and son, John, were in Catlettsburg Sunday.

Ralph Chatfield, of Ashland, was a business visitor here last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Elliott returned Sunday from a visit in Cincinnati.

Everett Sowards transacted business in Hazard this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Culbertson of Jenkins, have been visiting friends here.

Elliott Hoffman is moving into the cottage he recently purchased on Grace avenue.

### CATLETTSBURG.

#### Returned from Louisville.

Mrs. Alonzo Mims has returned from a visit to Louisville and to her sister, Mrs. E. C. Walton at Stanford, Ky.

#### Entertains Ladies Aid.

The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. Church was held last afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. R. Akers. Much business was transacted and the meeting was a most enjoyable one.

#### From Up Sandy.

Among prominent people from up the Sandy Valley in the city yesterday were Mrs. J. F. Hutton, Buchanan, F. T. D. Wallace, Louisa, Alex Coleman, Marrowbone, Tom Wagner, Messy Bottom.

#### Fifty-four Yet.

There are at present 54 inmates in the county jail.

#### Mrs. Porter Improving.

Mrs. Amanda Porter, who was hurt by falling down the stairs a few days ago is much improved. She is at the home of her son, Mr. Walker Porter. The nurse is still with her, and Mrs. Hagan is constantly with her. She is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Belle York, who has been spending a few days in Huntington, has returned to her home in this city.

#### Mr. Williamson Returns.

Mr. Wallace Williamson, Sr., has returned from Colorado, where he has been in search of health. He is much improved. Mr. John B. Williamson and Alex Bishop came down from Williamson yesterday to see him.

Mike Conley, of Louisa, is a business visitor here.

Miss Dew Flannery went to Lexington Friday morning to spend a few days with friends, leaving next week for Northampton, Mass., to enter Smith college.

#### Left For West Va.

Rev. and Mrs. B. M. Keith, young son, and Mrs. Frances T. Ellison, mother of Mrs. Keith, have gone to West Virginia, where Rev. Mr. Keith assumes charge of his new appointment, which is the Fairmont District, presided over by Rev. F. S. Politt. This is quite an important post.

#### Will Locate Here.

Former Postmaster, O. A. Stump, who has long been one of Pikeville's leading business men, is here and is looking out for a location. He is connecting himself with the prosperous H. K. Smith company and is coming here to live. Mr. Stump will doubtless prove a most valuable acquisition to the city in a business way and he has a most interesting family.

#### Suit Filed.

Suit was instituted in Circuit Court by Zobrist & Jones, railroad contractors of Baltimore, against Geo. Strouse to recover \$740, alleged to be due them. It is alleged in the petition that this amount of property was stolen from the plant of the plaintiffs in Pike-co., by one Tom Clark and others, and shipped by them to defendant, in Ashland. It is alleged that Strouse received the property and converted the same to his own use and benefit against the consent of plaintiffs, and that defendant, Strouse is liable for the amount. Tom Clark and others are now indicted in the Pike Circuit Court for grand larceny and for receiving stolen property, knowing it to have been stolen, which was the property shipped by them to Strouse and stolen from the plant of Zobrist & Jones.

#### "Cinch" Campbell

#### Awarded Diploma.

C. L. Williams returned from Lexington, where he accompanied Dr. George (Cinch) Campbell, who stood the examination as a veterinary surgeon. He was awarded a diploma to practice his profession. He is the colored man who benefited by the will of the late Dr. B. S. Rice and is now in possession of the livery stable formerly owned by Dr. Rice.

#### Visitors Here.

Mrs. Clay, Wade Womack, Mrs. Ithel Kendall and Miss Sarah Seltz are charming guests at the home of Major and Mrs. W. J. Seltz. Mrs. Kendall and Miss Seltz are sisters of Major Seltz.

#### Left on Motor Tour.

Mr. Bon Williamson, Mrs. Williamson, their daughter, Miss Geraldine, Mrs. Lute Dismukes and daughter, Miss Georgine left Sunday morning for a motor trip to Canada and through the

New England States. They will return by way of New York, where the young ladies will be placed in Miss Bangs' and Miss Whitton's School for Girls, for the year.

#### Homs From Auto Trip.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Fischer and daughter, Marie, of Ashland, and Mrs. J. L. Patterson of Paintsville have been enjoying an auto trip through Indiana. Mr. Fischer and daughter have returned, while Mrs. Fischer and Mrs. Patterson stopped at Martinsville, Ind., where they will take the treatments for awhile.

#### Real Estate Deal.

A. L. Murphy exchanged his farm at Princess to Wayne Damron for the old Doc Vison homestead, less thirteen lots. Mr. Murphy and family will move there the first of the month so as to put his children in school.

#### Gene to Frankfurt.

Deputy U. S. Marshal Matt Sanders and Judge Sam J. DeFord left here Sunday for Frankfurt, taking more than twenty prisoners there for trial in the U. S. Court for connection with "moonshining." There will be more than thirty witnesses in the case, who go also.

#### Will Attend Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Wolfe and daughter, Miss Ethel, and Prof. and Mrs. J. R. Leech will go to Lexington on Monday to be present at the marriage of Mr. George Wolfe and Miss Mary Belle Pence, the charming daughter of Prof. and Mrs. Pence. Prof. Pence, father of the bride-to-be, is a prominent member of the faculty of the University of Kentucky, and the family is very prominent in the proud old Blue Grass region. The Wolfe family, of which the groom is the only son, is one of the most prominent in this section of Kentucky. His mother is a member of the well known and prominent Andrews family of the Sandy Valley. The young couple will reside at Hazard, Ky., where the groom is profitably engaged in business.

#### May Purchase Property.

Mr. O. A. Stump, of Pikeville, who is locating here is negotiating for the purchase of the fine residence belonging to Mrs. T. B. Brown on upper Louisa-st., near the home of Prof. J. B. Leech. Mr. Stump is to become a fixture here, having purchased a large interest in the H. Krish Co.

#### R. W. Sturgill Ill.

R. W. Sturgill, father of Drs. G. M. and J. D. Sturgill, who is now making his home with his sons in Ashland, is quite ill, suffering from attack which caused him to become dizzy when he attempts to walk about.

#### Fire in Car.

There was a disastrous fire in the fine car occupied by the young civil engineers of the Valuation Crew, Sunday morning. The car sits on the yards near the 28th street crossing, and after the young gentlemen had completed their Sunday toilet, spontaneous combustion, the only theory that can be advanced, set fire to a wardrobe and completely destroyed it, and wrought much damage to the interior of the coach, which is a handsome Pullman and is used as a residence car. Messrs. Kinney, Bass and Wilson were the heaviest losers by the blaze, they losing all of their clothing, except what they were wearing.

## DOINGS OF JOHNSON COUNTY PEOPLE.

## News From Paintsville and the Surrounding Country.

### Returned From Cincinnati.

Dr. F. M. Witten returned Saturday from Cincinnati where he took Green Adams to a hospital for an operation for appendicitis. Dr. Witten informs us that Mr. Adams stood the operation exceptionally well and would be able to return home within the next two or three weeks.

### Gene To Richmond.

Miss Pauline Carter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Carter, and one of Johnson county's leading teachers, left Friday for Richmond, Ky., where she will enter school at the Kentucky State Normal. She was accompanied as far as Winchester, by Mr. and Mrs. Carl Vaughan, who were returning to Louisville, where Mr. Vaughan is attending a dental school. Miss Carter is a sister of Mrs. Vaughan.

### Steve Bond Dies of Infirmities of Old Age.

Uncle Steve Bond, 75 years old, died at his home near Flat Gap, after a brief illness, brought on by infirmities due to old age. Mr. Bond has been a prosperous business man and one of our leading citizens. He is the father of Dr. Charles Bond, of Lockwood, and Dr. O. K. and Kert Bond of Catlettsburg, and of Mrs. James Pendleton, Sr., of this city. He was laid to rest in the family cemetery near Flat Gap.

### Rev. Sowards Donated.

The members of the M. E. Church, South, surprised Rev. and Mrs. Sowards at their parsonage home Monday evening, laden with a bountiful supply of good things, which they left in the care of the pastor and his wife. After spending a very pleasant hour they retired to their several homes, wishing Rev. and Mrs. Sowards many pleasant years of health and usefulness. The entire membership are glad to welcome these good people back to Paintsville.

### To Be Married at Kansas City.

Miss Pearl P. Simer, of Tulsa, Okla., has been here the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James P. Simer, the past month. She will leave for the West this week and is to be married at Kansas City to Mr. Edward Hayer, a prominent young business man of Tulsa, Okla. They will go to Colorado on their honeymoon trip and will be at home in Tulsa, after November 1.

### Miss June Davis Dies.

Miss June Davis, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Davis, died at her home near Paintsville last Friday. Her funeral was held Sunday, conducted by Rev. H. G. Sowards. She had been sick for some time, but was able to be out horse back riding only a few days ago and her death was unexpected.

### Called Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Vaughan, who left Friday morning for Louisville, where Mr. Vaughan entered the Louisville College of Dentistry, were called home Wednesday on account of the death of Mr. Vaughan's mother.

### County Examination.

Thirty-five applicants for County school certificates took the examination here before Superintendent Fred Meade and his examiners Chas. Vanhoose, of Tom's creek and Frank Chandler, of Little Gap.

### Child Dies After Being Bitten By Rat.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Daniel, formerly of this county, but who now live in Ohio, was bitten on the neck several weeks ago by a rat and died. The little fellow was laid to rest in the family cemetery on Monday, this county, Monday.

### Wedding At Inez.

Married, recently at Inez, Martin-co., George Hille to Miss Norma Kirk. They left for Cincinnati on their bridal trip.

### Gone to Dental College.

Ed. Conley, who has been working in the office of the North-East Coal Co., here for a number of years, has resigned his position and left Thursday morning for Louisville, where he will enter the Louisville Dental College. Mr. Conley is one of our most popular young men and will make a success in the dental profession.

His place with the coal company will be filled by Miss Lou Segrave.

### Boy Operated On.

Wm. Edley's nine year old boy, who was operated on for appendicitis at Keller's hospital at Ironton, Ohio, last Wednesday, is reported as getting along nicely.

Mrs. Jelliff, of West Va., is here this week the guest of friends. She is remembered by her friends here as Miss Emma Hay Wallace.

Rev. C. E. Otto and wife, of Pikeville, will arrive here today to hold services at the Christian church. Rev. Otto has been secured as pastor here.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Frazier, who are at present living at Fort Gay, W. Va., are here this week the guests of relatives. Mrs. Frazier was formerly Miss Julia Conley.

Mrs. J. H. Howe and five children of Tulsa, Okla., are here the guests of Mrs. Jones' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. P. Simer.

Dr. Chas. Bond, of Lockwood, and Dr. and Mrs. G. K. Bond, of Catlettsburg, passed through here Saturday enroute to Flat Gap to attend the funeral of their father, uncle Steve Bond.

Warren M. Meek, a prominent farmer of near Auxier, was in town Monday mingling with his many friends. Prof. Milton McDowell, a leading citizen and farmer of Manilla, was in town Saturday on business.

Dan Daniel and Mrs. Jno. Fitch, of Slip, were here Friday, the guests of their brother, Dr. G. V. Daniel.

## FLOYD COUNTY'S RECORD FOR WEEK.

## News From Prestonsburg and the Surrounding Country.

### Devotional Exercises.

The ladies of the Baptist Missionary Society conducted very interesting devotional exercises at the Irene Cole Memorial church Sunday evening. At the close of the meeting Rev. J. T. Pope pastor invited his congregation to repair to the Methodist church and hear Rev. W. L. Held, the new minister of this church preach. Rev. Held is an able preacher and was gladly welcomed him to our community.

### Methodist Aid.

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist church met with Mrs. H. H. Fitzpatrick Wednesday afternoon of last week. A delicious salad course consisting of sandwiches, pickles, pineapple and cheese salad, cake and hot coffee were served. There were twelve present and a most enjoyable afternoon was spent.

### O. E. S. Officers Installed.

The Order of the Eastern Star met in the Masonic hall Monday evening and installed the following officers for the ensuing year.


Mrs. W. B. Burke, Worthy Matron; Mrs. Dings, Conductress; Mrs. Minnie Snidbury, Associate Conductress; Mrs. Ruth Saulsbury, Marshal; Mrs. Grace Ford, Secretary; Mrs. Belle Gardner, Treasurer; Mrs. Annie L. Davidson, Organist; Mrs. Winnie P. Johns, Chaplain; Mr. Collett, Sentinel. The Mrs. Collett, Adair; Judith D. Roberts, Esther; Josie D. Harkins; Electa. Several of the officers not being present to be installed their installation was postponed until the next regular meeting. Mrs. W. B. Burke addressed the Chapter in a most beautiful talk thanking the Chapter for the high honor conferred on her as Worthy Matron, after which Mrs. Winnie Johns was presented with a beautiful Eastern Star ring as a token of their appreciation for her faithful services rendered during the past year as Worthy Matron.

### Entertain To Dinner.

Mrs. N. M. White, Sr., entertained to an elegant dinner Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. W. P. McVey and niece Miss Faith Chapdler of Columbus, O.

### Womens Club Organized.

A Woman's Club was organized Monday afternoon in the law office of W. S. Harkins by Mrs. Chas. Weaver of Louisville, Ky. The club earnestly desires the co-operation of all our business men, city council and town officers in



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### Huc Sentenced.

A. J. Huff, who was tried and convicted for the killing of Ben Robinson, was given a two to five year sentence in the penitentiary.

### Locals.

Mrs. Earl Stumbo returned to her home at Wayland Monday after a few days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Harmon.

Bertha Stephens, who has typhoid fever is reported better.

Hon. W. H. May was here from Jenkins last week on legal business.

Hon. to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Pitt, Monday, a fine boy.

Mrs. Tom Bates of Allen City, was here on business Monday.

Mr. C. L. Allen of Beckley, W. Va., chief engineer for the C. and O., is here on legal business.

Mrs. Len Moles, who has been so critically ill in the hospital at Ironton, is reported better.

Rev. Isaac Stratton of Banner, was a business visitor here this week.

Mrs. and Mrs. C. V. Lygon and daughter, Sallie Gaudin, are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Fitzpatrick.

J. H. Clark of Wayland, is here on business.

John E. Layne of Wayland, was visiting home folks Saturday.

Dr. Mackard of Wayland, is here on legal business.

Hon. H. T. Turner of Louisa was here Saturday the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Harkins.

Mrs. Wm. Gatewood is here from Virginia visiting her mother, Mrs. B. C. Gardner.

Mrs. Jeff Jenkins has returned to her home in Ironton after several days visit with R. H. Leets and family.

Mrs. W. H. McCoy and little son of Inez, are here the guests of Mrs. McCoy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Harkins.

Scout, Link and Farmer Saulsbury of Minnie, Ky., are court visitors this week.

Bert Wolfe is here calling on the trade.

R. E. Blackburn and Miss Simmons of Johns creek, were married at the Clerk's office Tuesday.

Miss Faith Chapdler returned to her home in Columbus, Monday after a two weeks visit with her aunt, Mrs. W. P. McVey.

Mrs. A. J. Davidson, Mrs. Ed Ford and Mrs. Grace Ford attended the funeral of Mr. "B" Vaughan in Paintsville last week.

Mrs. Chas. Weaver of Louisville was here Monday in the interest of the State Orphanage and Kentucky Federation of Women's Club.

Misses Corn Stephens and Mary Elizabeth Powers spent the week-end with Miss Lena Porter at Johns creek.

Mr. Leo Porter was a dinner guest of Mr. N. M. White, Sr., Friday.

Fred Atkinson and John F. Howes spent Sunday with home folks in Paintsville.

R. E. Stanley of Train is in town.

Everett Sowards, of Pikeville was here Saturday.

Mrs. Held, wife of the Rev. W. L. Held, arrived Wednesday evening from Huntington, W. Va., where she had been visiting a few days.

## ELECTION FRAUDS IN MINGO COUNTY

## INTERESTING TRIALS NOW ON IN UNITED STATES COURT AT HUNTINGTON.

The following account of the fraud cases in Mingo-co., is interesting because it shows accurately what has given Mingo and McDowell counties the reputation of having the most corrupt elections in the State of West Virginia. The methods exposed here, or practically the same, have been in use there for several years. One of the schemes is to prepare bogus ballots during the night previous to the election, and instead of counting the real ballots cast by the voters the bogus ballots are substituted and counted.

This is certainly a rotten condition and it is hoped the guilty ones will be brought to justice and fair elections be established.

Huntington, W. Va., September 25.—Details of the alleged seizure of War Eagle election precinct, in Stafford District, Mingo-co., at the general election in 1914, including the organization of the polls two hours before sunrise, the substitution of men who were parties to the plan for the duly constituted Democratic election officers, who thus were prevented from serving, the burning of all but 11 ballots cast against the Republican nominees and the substitution of fraudulent ballots for those destroyed, and the casting of fraudulent ballots to the extent of the difference between the votes actually cast and those registered for the precinct, were recounted by three witnesses for the Government in the case of R. L. Simpkins and others, on trial in Federal Court here today.

These witnesses were Noah Lester and Link Blankenship, who acted instead of the Democratic election officers, and Mrs. Noah Lester. Both Lester and Blankenship are under indictment in the case and both have entered pleas of guilty.

The testimony of the three witnesses consumed the entire time of the

court to-day. At this time it scarcely can be expected that the trial can be brought to a close this week.

The presiding Judge is C. A. Wood, of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals, sitting in the place of Judge H. F. Keller, of the District Court.

The defendants are R. L. Simpkins, H. D. Copley, G. W. Kelley, W. S. Hatfield, Tom Maynard, Grant Gibson, Ben Copley, Noah Lester, Link Blankenship, Anthony Gaudot, Herman Hatfield, Greenway Hatfield, brother of the Governor; Jack Brewster, Noah White, George H. Maynard and Valentine Hatfield.

Noah Lester, the first witness introduced, testified that he and his half-brother, Link Blankenship, had been in trouble which threatened to lead to an indictment, and that he was urged by Tom Maynard and Mrs. H. L. Simpkins to serve as an election officer, helping them and winning their assistance for himself.

He told of a meeting, which he said was held the night before at the home of Tom Maynard, at which W. S. Hatfield, Herman Hatfield, Grant Gibson, H. L. Simpkins, Harrison Copley, Ben Copley